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Presentation to Paul Morphy by the New-York Chess Club.

Speeches by John Van Buren, Esq., W. J. A. Fuller, Esq., and Col. Mead.

MR. MORPHY'S REPLIES.

Last evening the New-York Chess Club made their long-talked of presentation of the gold and silver chess-men, pearl inlaid board, and the American watch to PAUL MORPHY, the Chess Champion of the world. Any who doubted whether the public sympathized with Mr. M. in his recent triumphs should have been at the University Chapel to have witnessed the ceremonies and marked the enthusiasm which greeted his appearance By 8 o'clock the room was densely packed, even to the aisles and galleries, with a brilliant audience of gentlemen and ladies. Promptly at the hour a solitary policeman edged his way through the crowd in the right-hand aisle and cleared a passage for Mr. MORPHY and his escort. Immediately thereafter some twenty or thirty gentlemen, among whom where CHARLES O'CONOR, Esq., Judge J. R. WHITING, Baron DE TROBRIAND, with a number of members of the New-York Chess Club, entered and took seats upon the platform. Mr. MORPHY, leaning upon the arm of Col. MEAD, President of the Club, brought up the rear. His appearance was greeted with overwhelming and long-continued applause. "Gracefully acknowledging it, Mr. M. took his seat, and Col. MEAD aroee and spoke as follows:

SPEECH OF COL. CHARLES D. MEAD.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: The Testimonial Committee has conferred upon me the honor of presiding upon this interesting occasion. You are aware that the object of our assembling to-night is for the purpose of presenting testimonials to our distinguished young countryman, PAUL MORPHY. He has lately returned from a visit to the *Old* World, where, as in the *New*, he has proven himself to be the master of the checkered field. He has not only acquired for himself undying renown, but has reflected honor and credit upon the land that gave him birth. He has not only been successful in winning in every contest in which he has been engaged, but he has also succeeded in *winning* the hearts of all who have come in contact with him.

It is not my purpose to refer to the moral and intellectual influences of the science and art of chess. It is sufficient to point to one who may be well considered a living embodiment of its morality and intellectuality.

In view of these considerations, a few of the crowd of his admirers and friends have been desirous of making to him some acknowledgment of his unrivaled powers, as well as a testimonial of their personal regard. For that purpose they have procured the chessmen and board now before you, and which they desire to have presented to-night. After this has been done, the members of the Testimonial Committee also intend to present him with an additional token of their esteem.

The presentation of the chessmen and board will now be made. The Hon. JOHN VAN BUREN has kindly consented to discharge, on behalf of the Committee, that agreeable duty.

After Col. MEAD had concluded, JOHN VAN BUREN, Esq. came forward. Taking Mr. MORPHY by the hand, he introduced him to the audience amid hearty cheers. Silence having been restored, Mr. VAN BUREN delivered the following address to Mr. M. and the audience, Mr. MORPHY remaining standing meanwhile.

SPEECH OF JOHN VAN BUREN, ESQ.

MR. MORPHY: A number of your friends and admirers have deemed it appropriate to signalize your return to the United States by this reception, and by the presentation to you of a testimonial of their admiration and regard. I am happy to be enrolled among their number, and feel honored at having been selected to convey to you their sentiments, and to offer for your acceptance this beautiful specimen of the taste and skill of those to whom its execution was confided. However imperfectly I feel that I may discharge the grateful duty assigned to me, I am sure you will agree with me in thinking that the Messrs. TIFFANY, from whom we have obtained these splendid pieces of workmanship, have enabled us to furnish you a magnificent representation of the field you have so often traversed, and of the officers and men you have led to such brilliant victories, which may at the same time serve as a not unworthy memento of the affection and respect of those whom I represent. I had desired that its presentation to you might have been made by one more capable to represent in appropriate and eloquent terms, the sentiments of the donors, and who at the same time, from a more thorough acquaintance with the pursuit in which you have been engaged, could do fuller justice to the extraordinary qualities that you have exhibited. But I am certain that this duty could not have been assigned to any one who has observed with more interest your brilliant career, commenced at New Orleans, continued here, and cumulating in Europe; nor could anybody more sincerely and earnestly approve and admire, not alone the skill you have evinced, but the high gentlemanly-bearing, unfeigned courtesy, generosity, and courage that have distinguished your whole conduct. (Great applause.) A victory in the great game of chess ought not to be regarded in the light of a success in an ordinary encounter of chance or skill. Thousands of years ago the game of chess originated, as is supposed, in India, but almost as early as the commencement of the Christian era it was known in Persia, China, and Japan. For more than a thousand years it has been played in Europe. "Like a universal alphabet," as a clever writer has said, "the chess-board is known to all nations. The Bonze plays at chess in the Pagoda of Juggernaut; the palanquin-bearing slave reflects how he may best check-mate a pebble king on a chess-board traced in the sands of the Ganges; the Icelandic bishop whiles away the tedious gloom of a polar night with his long calculated moves on the chess-board, commencing with that which has become identified with the name of Captain EVANS; in short, from pole to pole the sixty-four squares of the noble game have solaced the sorrows of the lords of creation." [Applause.] Nor need he have confined his remarks to the lords of creation. The fairer and the better sex have been alike interested and distinguished in this noble exercise. It has elicited essays and poems from the pen of GOLDSMITH, of Sir WM. JONES, of Dr. FRANKLIN. It has engaged the exertions of men in every age, and of the highest order of ability, and the first rank sovereigns are enrolled by historians as contestants for its honors; Tamerlane, Charlemagne, Elizabeth, Louis XIV., Charles V., Charles XII., Catherine of Medicis, Frederick of Prussia, Leo X., were among its distinguished votaries; Franklin, Voltaire and Napoleon worshipped at its shrine in the celebrated Café de la Régence, where you have just won such imperishable honors. [Long continued applause.]

History teems with anecdotes illustrating the absorbed devotion these contests have excited. King JOHN was playing at chess when the deputies from Rouen came to acquaint him that their city was besieged by PHILIP AUGUSTUS, but he would not hear them till he had finished his game. An elector of SAXONY was taken prisoner by CHARLES V., and condemned to death. He was playing at chess when the decree was intimated to him; stopping a moment and commenting on the injustice of the decree, he challenged his antagonist to finish the game, which he did, and the elector won, to his great apparent joy. His competitor was ERNEST of Brunswick. It is a curious illustration of the manner in which this taste is transmitted that one descendant of ERNEST wrote an excellent treatise on chess under the name of Gustavus Selenus, and another was the Duke of BRUNSWICK, whom you met and defeated at Paris. [Renewed applause.] A king of Granada in 1396 sentenced his brother JUSAF to death; the Prince was found playing at chess; being denied a respite of two hours, he succeeded in obtaining time to finish his game. Fortunately, before it was finished the brother died, and JUSAF was elected to the throne. But Sir, I am not to weary you or those present with anecdotes of chess nor with the history of the antiquity and universality of the game. It is of your career that I am commissioned to speak—of the remarkable success that has followed the chivalrous crusade on which you embarked to vindicate American intellect and American skill. You had, Sir, bright examples before you. So early as 1574 LEONARDI of Cutri was a student at law at Rome, but a greater student of chess—a preference I cannot condemn. On account of his extreme youth he was known as *il puttino*—"the boy;" he was beaten by RUY LOPEZ, of Spain, the first chess player in Europe, then a visitor at Rome. Vexed at his defeat, he repaired to Naples, and spent two years studying and practicing chess; thence he sailed to Genoa, Marseilles and Barcelona, playing with and conquering all he met. He traveled to Madrid, and revenged himself on RUY LOPEZ, by beating him in presence of PHILIP II. From Madrid he repaired to Lisbon and gained another great victory, and after conquering a good part of the world as then known, he returned to Naples and to his home loaded with presents by the Kings of Spain and Portugal. The great PHILIDOR in 1747 visited England on a chess campaign, conquering all before him; he thence crossed into Holland, playing with the Duke of CUMBERLAND and other distinguished men of the time; thence to Berlin to play with the great FREDERICK; thence to Hesse Cassel, back to England and so home to France. I believe that PHILIDOR again visited England later, and it was on these visits that he accomplished the feat, regarded at that time as so miraculous, of playing three different games without seeing the board. The celebrated contest at London between LABOURDONNAIS of France and MCDONNELL of England occurred within the recollection of many of those present. LABOURDONNAIS played also three games at one time without seeing the board. Let me stop here to remark the extraordinary difference in this respect between yourself and PHILIDOR and LABOURDONNAIS. You played at Birmingham eight games at one time blindfolded, (as it is called,) with eight of the strongest players assembled at the tournament in that place, six of which you won, only one was lost and one drawn. You repeated the same extraordinary feat at Paris, while your match with HARWITZ was interrupted by his ill health, winning six and drawing two of the games. [Great applause.] If this mode of playing furnishes a test of relative skill, (and it must approximate to it,) certainly we have reason to exult at the vast superiority of our American champion, and here allow me to introduce the testimony of one of our most distinguished countrymen, Professor MORSE, in a note to the Committee:

POUGHKEEPSIE, May 24, 1859.

SIR: I have this moment received your polite invitation and ticket, as Chairman of the Testimonial Committee, to witness the "presentation testimonials" to our distinguished countryman, PAUL MORPHY Esq., and assigning me a seat on the platform on the occasion. While I regret exceedingly that my engagements will prevent my being present, I would yet take this opportunity to offer through you my humble tribute of admiration not merely to the man of unequaled skill in the time honored game of chess, (the most valuable, for certain kinds of mental discipline, of all existing games,) but to the man of modesty, who can receive such demonstrations of enthusiasm as have been showered upon him without any show of vanity or conceited inflation. I was so fortunate as to be present at Paris, at the Café de Regence, at the marvelous contest of Mr. MORPHY with the most skillful European players, when he engaged with them in eight different games at the same time, and without seeing their boards, unaided but by his most extraordinary memory and unrivaled skill. I witnessed not only his marvelous triumph, but his modest and unassuming bearing in the moment of victory. And not the least gratifying part of the scene was the spontaneous outburst of generous and magnanimous applause from his French antagonists that filled the air with shouts as they conducted him in triumph to his carriage. It was a beautiful proof to me that the flame of a high souled chivalry still burned in the hearts of Frenchmen.

In asking that my personal gratulations to Mr. MORPHY may be allowed to mingle with yours on this occasion, I remain, Sir, with respect, your most obedient servant,

SAMUEL F. B. MORSE.

To S. D. BRADFORD, Esq., Chairman of the Testimonial Committee.

But, I must not stop to enumerate the contests in which you have been engaged; a rapid review of the chief of them is all that I propose; your career as a chess player first attracted prominent attention at New-Orleans. In the Summer of 1857 a Congress of players from all parts of the United States assembled at New-York. Eight matches were played between sixteen selected players, and each successive victor engaged another until the conqueror of all was thus ascertained. I had the pleasure of witnessing a portion of that struggle in which you were not only victorious, but won the universal concession of all those present to the superiority of your game over that of all the competitors. [Great applause.] Last year you embarked upon the European tour which has been the subject of so much pride to your countrymen, and your return from which is the occasion of our present meeting. I will not remark upon the circumstances which led you to believe that one who for a long time had been esteemed the champion of English chess playing would be prepared to meet you in a friendly contest on your arrival in England. The facts in relation to the failure of this meeting have all been laid before the public, and I must state as the result, that one who had been regarded as the champion of English chess players now claims to be regarded as "out of practice" and "engrossed in literary pursuits;" and that your countrymen here, and I may say *his* countrymen *there*, unite in believing that you have neglected nothing which a generous ambition and a total surrender to the adversary of all matters of detail or formality could ask at your hands. A champion did present himself in the person of Herr LOWENTHAL, who may fairly be deemed quite the equal of any English chess player, and over him you achieved a decided victory. The same is true of Mr. MONCRIEDIEN, the President of the London Chess Club. From England you passed to France, where Mr. HARWITZ had long stood at the head of the Parisan chess players. Your defeat of him, as well as of all other prominent chess players at Paris, was no less decided. But it was not alone with English and French competitors that you dealt. Herr ANDERSEN, a Professor of Mathematics in Breslau, Prussia, celebrated as one of the first chess players in the north of Europe, and as the representative of the celebrated Berlin school, the victor in the International Tournament at London in 1851, was invited to Paris by the admirers of the game in that gay Capital. His engagements did not allow his visiting Paris before Christmas, and your arrangements had been made to return to the United States before that period, but, with a spirit of mutual accommodation, alike honorable to both, you delayed your return and were thus enabled to meet one who wore the champion's crown of European chess players. The result that had attended your English and French contests followed the struggle with Professor ANDERSEN, and you were again signally successful. Remaining in Paris until Spring, contrary to your original intentions, you were thus enabled to present yourself at the Café de la Regence as prepared to enter the lists against all comers, and on that field of so many well-contested struggles, you held the banner of superiority for the entire Winter. This Spring you returned to England to enjoy the hospitality of the prominent chess players of England. In all your contests there, no person was found able to win from you the proud position that you had obtained, and you returned to the United States under circumstances calculated to elicit the admiration and respect not only of those skilled in chess playing, but of the other and far higher portion of our people who are proud to honor the intellectual efforts of their countrymen, in whatever sphere they may be displayed.

There are great qualities of mind and character elicited by the exercise to which you have devoted so considerable and honorable a portion of your time. Dr. FRANKLIN describes them thus: "FORESIGHT, which looks into futurity and considers the consequences that may attend an action;" "CIRCUMSPECTION, which surveys the whole chess board, or scene of action, the relation of the several pieces and their situations, and the dangers they are exposed to, the aid they require, the assaults that threaten them, the means of defence or assault;" "CAUTION, not to move too hastily, and, above all, *the habit of not being discouraged by present adversity*, and looking hopefully to a favorable conjunction of circumstances that may retrieve evil fortune. All these grand qualities have been manifested by you, and the last, and perhaps the greatest, in your contest with Mr. HARWITZ, who won the two first games of his match under circumstances when your youth, your ill-health, your little acquaintance with the country and its people, and the disposition of your adversary to take at least all fair advantages of his victory, might well have subdued, if not overwhelmed, a less stout heart. There are circumstances, Mr. MORPHY, in your present position, which are not a little extraordinary. Those who have been distinguished before you as the champion of the chess-playing world, prior at all events to the last century, lived in a different world from ours. This great country, with its extraordinary growth, its development in art, in science, and in most that contributes to adorn civilization and to elevate humanity, has substantially sprung into existence within the last century. Those who were foremost in the world before had substantially no competition from the United States. But you began your career at a Congress of chess players of the United States; you left here as the champion of America, and you return as the champion of the world. It is not then for the treatment you have received abroad, nor for the success that you have achieved across the water in any degree that we do you honor, but it is for the fact that you first established your superiority here over the chess players of the United States, and then satisfied the world that this superiority was absolute. Again, it is an imputation, and perhaps a reproach upon the people of the United States that they are wedded to gain; that their pursuits begin and are absorbed by and end in the accumulation of wealth; that acquirements or accomplishments that promise no pecuniary advantage meet neither with favor nor friends among us. The game of chess is purely an intellectual accomplishment—it is rarely attended by any wager: it has no promise of profit; it is prosecuted in quiet and generally in private. When, therefore, we present to the world an exhibition of the most remarkable proficiency that the world ever saw in this department, it is not only a victory over the love of gain, which certainly does prevail here to some extent, it is not only a triumph over the "almighty dollar" that is supposed to sway us all, but is a brilliant and glorious refutation of the charge to which I have referred. It is said that you are but a champion of an amusement. I have endeavored to show that this amusement is a great intellectual exercise; but if it were merely an amusement, I have great reason to doubt whether, in the present condition of our country, with its devotion to intellectual and industrial pursuits, regardless of relaxation, regardless of health and almost of life, any greater benefactor of the country could be found than one who would persuade its people to devote a reasonable proportion of their time to amusement and recreation. I have spoken, Sir, of the wonderful character of your success, but perhaps the greatest wonder of all is that it should have been achieved at your age. Just entering upon manhood, you find yourself as distinguished as any chess player that ever lived. At an age when reflection, thought, rigid attention, absorbed devotion to any pursuit seem most unlikely, you are at the head of a class of men mostly advanced in life, and deeply engaged in an exercise in which all those qualities are indispensably necessary. At a time of life when other men are buckling on their armor and preparing to engage in scenes of strife, you are returning home ready to lay aside your weapons, and sighing with ALEXANDER that you have no more worlds to conquer. You left Europe at a most critical juncture. Engaged there in contests of mimic war, you have left the kings and queens and bishops and knights and castles of the Old World involved in a real struggle. I believe in this you have pursued a truly American course. While battles rage abroad, the end of which no man can see, which are sure to be attended with a great destruction of human life, and not at all sure to be followed by any real advantage to humanity, it is as well for us to fight our mimic kings and queens, and knights and bishops, and men in peace and quiet on this side. No ambulances follow our army; no Chelsea or Invalides or Snug Harbor receives their pensioners; no conflagrations light their way; no tears bedew their path—and yet it may so turn out that we shall effect quite as much ultimate good as will attend the slaughters of the Old World. Mr. Morphy: Your readiness to engage at all times, and with all comers, in chess contests; your refusal to make the condition of your health an excuse or a reason for declining, your utter rejection of all advantages that might be your due in a contest, and the intrepid spirit you manifested at Paris, induced Monsieur ST. ARNAUT, one of the ablest and frankest of your adversaries, to name you "the chivalrous Bayard of Chess." But it is not for your qualities or conduct only as a chess-player that I have united in this proceeding. Your intercourse with your friends here, the accounts we have from New-Orleans, the uniform representations from abroad, all concur in showing that in high-bred courtesy, true generosity and courage, innate modesty and strict integrity, you have illustrated at home and abroad the character of an American gentleman; and it is, therefore, with unaffected pride that I have become the medium of conveying to you the sentiments I have expressed, and that I again offer for your acceptance this appropriate token of the regard of your countrymen, and their recognition of your genius.

Ladies and gentlemen, I ask you to unite with me in welcoming with all the honors, PAUL MORPHY, the Chess Champion of the World. [Enthusiastic cheers.]

Mr. VAN BUREN's address was frequently interrupted by applause. On its conclusion Mr. M. replied as follows:

MR. MORPHY'S REPLY TO MR. VAN BUREN.

months have elapsed since bidding adieu to my Western home. I sought beyond the blue waters the

MR. PRESIDENT, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: Twelve foreign skies of another hemisphere; and again have I returned to the land of my birth and affections. Another year has glided by and once more do I find myself surrounded by the friends whose good wishes and approbation cheered my wandering course. I thank them—I most sincerely thank them for the more than cordial welcome which has greeted my return to the Empire City. Well may they say that they have made their City the verdant spot in my sandy path—the green and ever-blooming oasis of repose where, like the way-worn traveler, I forget the fatigue and exposure of the journey, and gather renewed life and energy for its completion. Not satisfied, however, with showering innumerable attentions upon me, they this night cap the climax of their favors by presenting me, in conjunction with a large number of the citizens of New-York, this beautiful piece of workmanship as a superb testimonial of their regard and sympathy. How thankfully received—how dearly prized—mere words cannot portray. I shall proudly take it to my Southern home and preserve it as a precious memento of my friends in New-York.

I fear, ladies and gentlemen, that lengthy comments upon the game of chess might prove uninteresting to a large portion of the highly intellectual audience before me. Of my European tour I will only say that it has been pleasant in almost every respect. Of the adversaries encountered in the peaceful jousts of the checkered field, I retain a lively and agreeable recollection. I found them gallant, chivalrous and gentlemanly, as well became true votaries of the kingly pastime.

A word now on the game itself. Chess never has been and never can be aught but a recreation. It should not be indulged in to the detriment of other and more serious avocations—should not absorb the mind or engross the thoughts of those who worship at its shrine; but should be kept in the background and restrained within its proper province. As a mere game, a relaxation from the severer pursuits of life, it is deserving of high commendation. It is not only the most delightful and scientific, but the most moral of amusements. Unlike other games in which lucre is the end and aim of the contestants, it recommends itself to the wise by the fact that its mimic battles are fought for no prize but honor. It is eminently and emphatically the philosopher's game. Let the chess-board supersede the card-table, and a great improvement will be visible in the morals of the community. [Great Applause.] But, ladies and gentlemen, I need not expatiate on the field so ably traversed by the eloquent gentleman who has just addressed you. I thank you from my heart for the very flattering manner in which you have been pleased to receive his too complimentary remarks, and for the numerous attentions received at your hands. I shall leave New-York with melancholy sorrow, for I part from friends than whom none truer can be found. Let them rest assured that along with the memory of the chess-board I possess the memory of the heart. And now, with a renewal of my sincere thanks for the splendid token of your regard with which you have presented me to-night, and the assurance that I shall cherish in unfading memory the remembrance of my sojourn here, I bid you, ladies and gentlemen, a farewell, which I fondly hope will not prove the last.

Mr. MORPHY delivered his address in a self-possessed manner and without hesitation. Every word was distinctly heard in all parts of the house, and when Mr. M. resumed his seat the building rang with applause.

Colonel MEAD then announced that W. J. A. FULLER, Esq., would present the watch on behalf of the Testimonial Committee;

Mr. FULLER spoke as follows:

ADDRESS OF W. J. A. FULLER.

MR. PRESIDENT: I fully appreciate the flattering compliment paid me by yourself and your associates in selecting me as their representative on this occasion, to make an additional offering to our friend, indicative of the personal respect and esteem entertained for him by the individual members of the Testimonial Committee.

MY DEAR SIR:—(Addressing Mr. MORPHY)—In the eloquent address already delivered, and in the emblematic gift which you have just received, the New-York Chess Club, and the Chess-players of this great Metropolitan City, have testified their appreciation of your genius and merit. I represent a narrower, and yet perhaps more interesting sphere—that of warm personal friendship. While the members of the Testimonial Committee echo every thing that has been said, or that can be said in praise of your genius as a chess-player, and sterling virtues as a man, and yield to none in their admiration of yourself and your wondrous powers, they have desired that you should carry hence some trifling memorial, as an additional testimony of their personal regard. The slight token which they have prepared for your acceptance, is intended more particularly to impress upon you the estimation in which you are held by your old friends who have acted with me upon this Committee. I perform the task allotted to me with more than ordinary pleasure, for the reason that it gives me the opportunity not only to greet you as a hero returned from his triumphs, but also to express, in an imperfect manner, the high appreciation we entertain for you individually, as intimate personal friends. We honor you, Sir, because in your achievements you have given an impulse to American genius and American power, whose moral impress will be felt by future generations. In reviewing the events of the past, we find in early history, enthroned in queenly beauty and splendor upon the fertile delta of this Nile, a city rich in arts, in literature and commerce. The tributary traffic of the world poured its wealth into her lap, and the people of that famed city walked in their pride through her streets, lounged about her marts, and felicitated themselves that within their borders was to be seen all that was great and glorious, and that within their midst was the highest state of human improvement. They believed they had reached the acme of material and mental advancement; that, situated as they were, in the very centre of the world as then known, there was nothing new to be discovered or developed. In course of time other channels of communication were opened. The territory that was conquered by ALEXANDER was found to be but a small portion of this great globe. With these new routes of traffic Alexandria and the surrounding cities fell into decay; her commerce crumbled away, and she sank at last into utter insignificance.

From this time civilization began to spread over the Continent of Europe; new countries sprang up; empires rose and fell, until at last COLUMBUS, a representative of the inventive genius of America, discovered a new world. In the cold North was founded an Empire, now known as the Republic of the United States; and the City of New-York, in the order of Providence, has become its Metropolitan centre. Here we witness emphatically the perfection of civilization. Unlike that of Alexandria, this glory is permanent. There are now no more new countries to be discovered; no more new routes to be found. We have penetrated every quarter of the globe. Geography and the explorations of science show that here is the great natural depository of human interests; that New-Yook is the toll-gate on the great highway of nations; and, radiating from this centralizing point, the whole world must receive an influence.

The American Government in itself may be said to be a new invention and discovery. It differs from those of the Old World in giving to each citizen an individuality; inspiring him with a determined confidence; teaching him responsibility; and instilling into his mind the idea that all honors and wealth are legitimately within his grasp. Each subject is a component part of the commonwealth. Every man is a sovereign, and the masses are not made the slaves of the few. In a government of this kind, conflict of mind is encouraged and impelled. This intense mental activity has established the principle that inventions are equal to the demand, and, in this age of steam and progress, they have been called forth to meet the wants of an advancing civilization. After the war of the revolution the rich fields of the South, teeming with the power of vegetable production, were found to be favorable to the culture of the cotton plant. It grew with great luxuriance upon the alluvial soil of the Mississippi valley; but, even after it was produced, so great was the labor of preparing it for market, that it was valueless to the planter. In India the cheapness of labor enabled the miserable population of that vast country to separate by hand the fibre from the seed, and export it to manufacturing countries at remunerative prices, even under these disadvantageous circumstances. But while it was found that the prolific soil of America could produce the plant superior in quality and in greater abundance, it was also found that the prices of labor rendered the product of comparatively little value. Amid the classic shades of the elms of New Haven, there lived a quiet and solitary man. He had no practical knowledge of the growth and cultivation of cotton, but by intercourse with those who traded with the South, had become thoroughly informed of the difficulties under which the planter labored, and felt that they could be overcome only by the untiring power of machinery. It is not recorded how many months or how many years even, he labored ere he accomplished his object. He carried his wonderful invention from the cold clime of New-England to the sunny fields of Georgia, then the most southern frontier of our country. So perfect, indeed, was the idea originally conceived and executed by WHITNEY, that no improvement has ever been made upon the principle of the cotton gin from that day to this. It was this simple invention of a New-England man, this triumph of American genius, that absolutely created the great staple export of America; that awakened the manufacturing energies of the Old World and made them tributary to our use; that caused the soil of the South to be forever more prolific of gold than the vaunted placers of California, and that revolutionized the commerce of the globe. The vast extent of our country and its increasing wealth soon demanded more rapid progression and increased facilities for inter-communication, and FULTON accomplished the application of steam to the propulsion of vessels. The mighty effects of this discovery were equal to those of his compatriot WHITNEY. Following closely on the track of the steamer came the iron-horse of the railroad; but the meatal activity to which I have alluded, and which gave birth to all these ameliorations, was still unsatisfied. Your native city was too far from New-York. There was a demand for an apparently impossible creation of power, the conception to meet which entered the brain of one who labored through the day with his pencil, in a room adjoining this very chapel, and who produced by his genius as an artist some of the most lovely heads of female beauty which are now preserved in our cabinets and admired in our galleries of art. But at night fall, when the business of the day was concluded, it was his habit to extend around the walls of his room continuous pieces of wire, and upon this simple and crude beginning MORSE applied his galvanic batteries, and ultimately produced a result which gave birth to the Electric Telegraph. But a short while ago there was advertised to the world a regatta, under the auspices of England, then and for centuries before the vaunted mistress of the seas. With a characteristic liberality, she threw open this regatta to the competition of all nations. A remarkably plain and unpretentious man, who employed his hours from morn to night in the hardest mechanical labor—who was as modest as a girl, and one of the most unassuming persons that ever lived—evolved the great thought that he could build a vessel which would conquer the admitted champions of the wave. For many months he might have been seen daily engaged developing his idea in the construction of a boat. Comparatively few workmen were employed. The keel was laid and the ribs set up. As he progressed, he set at defiance all conventional rules. The extraordinary shape that his vessel promised often called forth ridicule from the experienced, and created unbounded astonishment in the multitude. When the sun had gone down—when the noise of the hammer and the adz had ceased and the workmen had left for their homes, the man in whose brain this vessel was already a fact, could often be seen sitting upon a pile of lumber, with his head resting upon his hand, absorbed in deep contemplation. Unquestionably, at these times, he could, in his mind, clothe those skeleton ribs and that shapeless mass with all the beauty and completeness which finally rewarded his patriotic toil. In time the vessel was finished. She spread her great albatross wings, and GEORGE STEERS, her builder, started like a knight errant to the field of contest. The waters of a favorite bay of Old England were crowded with fleets. All that wealth, ancient pride, and the experience of the past could do, were combined to sustain the tradition that Britannia could still rule the wave. The overwhelming triumph of the yacht *America* has passed into history. Such are a few individual instances, but it would be impossible to conceive the aggregate triumphs of American genius which are displayed in the improvements made in almost every mechanical and scientific pursuit. One more suggestive illustration. Until very recently the watch has been considered essentially a European manufacture. Its delicate machinery, its beautiful exterior, the minuteness and perfection of its work, all appear to be rather the result of extra or supercivilization, than natural to the sturdy and energetic character of our more practical developments. Yet even in this we have succeeded. The American Watch Company, a representative of the many superior mechanical associations of our country, have brought these delicate and useful productions to such perfection that we now have these measurers of time finished with the same completeness, cheapness, and beauty that characterize our other progressive triumphs. The committee have thought there was a peculiar fitness in selecting a testimonial,—so convenient and produced under such circumstances—[handing the watch to MORPHY]—which I now present to you as an embodiment of their regard—for the double reason that you will always carry with you a remembrance of their deep affection, and because you have in this watch a representation of a great American triumph. Such, my friend, is a cursory glance at the victories of American genius which have taken place within the last very few years. There are many persons in this room to-night, assisting in these pleasant exercises, who are yet in the vigor of manhood, who have absolutely witnessed these several strides of progress. The effect has been to give us a national reputation throughout the world which has inspired universal respect for our political institutions. While we teach the useful lessons that man is self governing and equal, we also adorn these great principles, because this personal, this individual struggle, like the conflict between the steel and the flint, produces the fire of genius, and awakens the mind to its highest power and capacity. You, Sir, have been the first to achieve the honor of an undisputed triumph for American intellect. There is no speculation or hesitation as to where you are placed. In the unparalleled successes where mind grapples with mind, your triumph has not been partial or in the least degree incomplete. Your name is associated with those that never die. Sir, yours is no common lot. There is no parallel to the present proud position occupied by you. Neither in this nor in any preceding age has there lived a man who could truly say, "I am first in my special walk or profession and have the whole world respond amen." Who could ever say, "I am the greatest poet or author, painter or sculpter, orator or statesman?" Even the transcendent genius of Nature's great dramatist, towering as it does with Alpine height above the cranes in the ordinary walks in the world of letters, stands not altogether alone. The united voice of the civilized world will echo the sentiments of friendship and fealty which are expressed to you here to-night, for the reason that you have adorned your triumphs by unusual modesty, and you have succeeded by your courtesy and your inherent virtues in making those who were compelled to yield to your superiority and to sacrifice a world wide fame, become your most enthusiastic admirers and warmest personal friends. I, Sir, as a lover of the royal game, appreciate your triumphs; but I see in them something more. I insensibly associate you with the great names to which I have alluded, and properly mingle yours with the fame that has been created by their achievements. A person so young going out before the whole world, to the great capitals of Europe, to the centres of old civilizations, and there throwing down the gauntlet to meet you in mental conflict, presents a sublime picture of moral and intellectual power that has no parallel in history. But all the testimonials and ovations which you have received, and will continue to receive in your triumphal march from your native city, sink into nothingness when compared with the great moral lesson inculcated by your achievements. In the great conflicts of mind with mind which are to take place in this arena of American civilization—in all time to come, when the American youth, fired by ambition, while struggling to achieve something great and glorious, shall find it difficult to fashion into shape the half forged idea in his brain—in the dark hour of his despondency, he will gather renewed courage for the conflict; he will catch the inspiration of hope, and grasp the certainty of success when he asks himself, "Did not PAUL MORPHY, by the power of his unaided genius, render easy what was considered impossible, and not rest content until he had laid the world at his feet?"

Mr. MORPHY replied in the following words:

MR. MORPHY'S RESPONSE TO MR. FULLER.

SIR: It has been my good fortune, on a previous visit to your City, to form acquaintances which have ripened into friendships. You are the organ, Sir, of some gentlemen with whom my intercourse has more particularly assumed the character of intimacy. The presentation of the very elegant watch you have handed me must necessarily be less formal than that which has just taken place. Words of learned length or thundering sound would ill become the nature of the occasion. I will simply say that I value this testimonial not less highly than the other. It is friendship's gift—the *vade mecum* that must accompany me wherever I go, to remind me that in whatever section of this broad Republic my abode may be planted, there will be in the far North friends whose anxious gaze will be turned to my home, whose hearts will watch with deep emotion the part I sustain in life's great drama, eager to see me touch the goal of success. Interpreting it in such a manner as a token of the interest felt in my future career by those you represent, I receive this beautiful piece of workmanship with unaffected pleasure. Long may the hands on its dial mark golden hours for my friends, and may no untoward mate ever arrest their course of success on the great chess board of the world.

The audience listened to Mr. M.'s brief and appropriate response with the deepest attention, and rewarded him with the same hearty applause when he concluded.

There were loud and persistent calls for CHARLES O'CONOR, Esq., who was on the stage, but Mr. O'C. begged to be excused.

Col. MEAD announced that the chess board and men, which were on the platform, would be on exhibition at TIFFANY'S for several days, and the audience dispersed.

Members crowded on the platform to seek an introduction to Mr. MORPHY, or to get a glimpse at the testimonials. A band, stationed in the organ loft, discoursed elegant music during the evening.

The Ladies after Paul Morphy.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Would you not oblige a great many ladies by inviting Mr. PAUL MORPHY to give a chess *matinée*, where they could witness his method of playing the Royal game, and make his acquaintance on equal terms with our gentlemen friends. If Mr. MORPHY had the slightest idea of the anxiety that prevails among his fair countrywomen to see and do him honor I am sure he could not say them nay.

M. L. M.

NEW-JERSEY PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.

Sermon of the Rev. John Kelly—Organization—A Bishop to be Elected To-day.

Correspondence of the New-York Times:

BURLINGTON, N. J., Wednesday, May 25, 1859.

The annual Convention of the Episcopal Church in New-Jersey began its session this morning at Burlington. A much more than ordinary interest attaches to this Convention, because a Bishop will probably be chosen by it to succeed the late Bishop DOANE. This was indicated by the large number of the Clergy and Lay Delegates in attendance.

The usual religious services were held in St. Mary's Church, at 10 o'clock. Prayer was said by the Rev. Messrs. BILLOPP and MERRITT. The lessons were read by the Rev. Messrs. REID and WELD, and the communion service by the clerical members of the Standing Committee. The Convention service was preached by the Rev. JOHN KELLY, of Paterson. His text was 1 Corinthians, xiv. 8: "If the trumpet give an uncertain sound, who shall prepare himself to the battle?" After explaining the connection of the text, the preacher announced as his subject the importance of well-defined teaching concerning the Christian Church.

The Church was the embodiment of Christianity; in it was wrapped up everything pertaining to our highest welfare for time and eternity; and therefore it was a subject of the greatest interest at all times. But this was peculiarly the case at the present time, because the tendency of the age was to disinstitutionalize Christianity, to divorce it from all outward forms, and reduce it to vague sentiment, popularly called "the Spirit of Christianity." Men were wearied and disgusted with "Church" discussions, because they were mostly on narrow and sectarian grounds.

We should look at fundamental principles, ascertain what is the essential, and therefore perpetual, constitution of the Church, as God's creation, and not man's. We go back to its origin and there see that it was not made Christianity, but is coeval with it, necessarily coexistent with it, as the outward body by which alone Christianity as a theory could manifest itself; just as the human body cannot be said to be created by the soul, but is coexistent with it. If nothing were said in Scripture concerning the Church's formal institution, yet its historical identity from age to age would sufficiently bespeak its peculiar structure and constitution.

By considering its foundation as necessarily involved in the Gospel scheme of redemption, and tracing its continuance in the world, we notice certain characteristics belonging to it at all times and under all circumstances. First, it is an organization of parts, held together in and by its Divine Head, according to fixed law, and animated by the spiritual life which its Head has infused into it. It is not a mere collection or aggregation of individuals, however excellent they may be, according to human device or combination; but an organic structure, as real and literal as the human body. Secondly, like every organized being, its Creator has impressed upon its very constitution certain laws by which it is to be sustained and perpetuated to the end of time; which laws are discoverable in the organization itself, as seen in its spontaneous action, even if nothing were said concerning them in Scripture, which, however, is far from being the case. No living creature is left without distinct means for its maintenance and propagation; so with the Church. In this it is distinguished from mere aggregations or human associations as widely as God differs from man. The law of the Church's continuity, aside from the Scriptural proof, is demonstrated by its whole history to be, as a fact, the Apostolical succesion.

Episcopacy was of no importance in itself, nor were they now concerned with its advantages or disadvantages; but as the law of the Church's maintainance, it is of the utmost importance. This law was clearly evinced as an historical fact; as much so as the law for the perpetuation of the human family. Episcopacy was not the Church, but simply the Divine method of its propagation.

Thirdly—There were certain accidental properties belonging to the Church, as an organic, visible body, such as matters of ecclesiastical propriety and convenience, forms laid down in a precomposed Ritual and Liturgy, methods of administering the Sacraments, &c. These were in their nature indifferent—to be changed according to circumstances, provided all be done to edification, and by proper authority. Yet these merely accidental properties were often presented as if they constituted the essential peculiarities of the Church, and were its only distinguishing claims over human religious associations. The Liturgy was not the Church, nor the law of its continuity; and as we might admire it, it furnished but a shallow ground of allegiance, since it was a matter of taste, which was so variable—not of principle, which was immutable.

The preacher passed on to show the practical bearing of his remarks on the common tendency of the age towards "Individualism" in religion; the tendency to ignore the Church as the Divine embodiment of the Gospel faith, and to make religion purely personal matter between each isolated individual and his Maker. This theory assumed that the Bible was placed in every man's hands for him to make out his own religion, without any Divinely constituted guide or outward institution. This was false in fact, for the Bible was given to the Church as a body—not to individuals as such—and no man had the Bible, except as handed down to him by the Church. He then went on to illustrate at some length the many and great evils which he claimed resulted from this theory, by which each man's own intuitions were made the standard of truth. It leads, logically, to the conclusion that there was no such thing as religious truth objective to the mind; but that that was true only which each mind for itself believed to be true, however contradictory to the belief of other minds. Hence sprung open infidelity, often decking itself with the name of "spirit," or "Genius of Christianity." The numberless differences among religious denominations, the bitterness, bigotry and exclusiveness, so rife, were among the results of this theory, though so strangely at war with the professed assumption of individual liberty in the interpretation of Scripture. Hence, while still maintained in words, its effects were so destructive to the very religious associations of those by whom it was first put for

A VOLCANIC ERUPTION.

Interesting Account of the Eruption of a Volcano in the Sandwich Islands.

Correspondence of the New-York Times:

HONOLULU, Saturday, March 12, 1859.

Your readers have doubtless heard of the recent eruption on Hawaii. This mail, however, will carry the first authentic accounts of it. When our last mail left no one had been to the source of the eruption, or seen the "flow," except from a distance. As I was one of a party of twelve who reached the "source," and followed down the stream of lava for twenty miles, I shall venture to give an account of the eruption.

It broke out on the 23d of January, on the north side of Mauna Loa, near the top. As is usual in case of eruptions at these Islands, no earthquake or special demonstration of any kind announced the event.

Dead fish were seen to the east of the Islands two days before. Although this fact appeared inexplicable then, there is now no doubt but that the fish were killed by a submarine eruption of lava connected with that on Hawaii.

From Waimea, a place some thirty miles north of the top of Mauna Loa, smoke was seen gathering about the mountain on the afternoon of the 23d, and in the evening liquid lava spouted up from the side of the mountain, like the Geyser fountains of Iceland, to the height of 300 or 400 feet. This continued but a few minutes. Another jet then spouted up at a point further from the top of the mountain, and further west. This lasted for fifteen days, but was reached by one white person only while in action. This gentleman, an English traveler, describes the view which he had at night, when encamped only a mile from the jet, as magnificent beyond all power of words to describe. The crater from which the jet issued was about 150 feet high and 250 feet broad. The jet itself rose, at different times, from 200 to 400, or even 500 feet above this. The noise accompanying this action was like that of the Falls of Niagara, and throughout the whole region, for miles around, the night was made even lighter than the day.

At Honolulu, 200 miles distant, the atmosphere was made exceedingly smoky, for the first few days of the eruption, by the gases which escaped. At Lahaina, more than 100 miles distant, the whole heavens, in the direction of the eruption, were lighted up at night.

Our party arrived at the source Feb. 9, seventeen days after the eruption broke out. We encamped on an eminence about two miles from the place where the jet had been thrown up. From this position we could see the lava stream from its source for thirty miles down the mountain.

In the evening our view was grand beyond all description. Although the jet had ceased, two craters about eighty rods apart, were sending up immense columns of steam and gas, with occasional *appearances* of flame. This apparent flame, however, we afterwards ascertained, was only fine particles of scoriæ heated to redness. In fact, flame is *never* seen at the crater of a volcano, or along the stream which issues from it, unless it comes from trees and vegetable matter which are burnt by it. The same is true of smoke. The *apparent* smoke is steam and gas of various kinds, mostly sulphurous. Melted lava is just like melted iron in this respect, which shows no flame or smoke unless brought in contact with some inflammable matter. Many observers have stated that they have seen flame and smoke at this eruption, and it is so given in print, but it only shows that they were not accurate observers, for they are unquestionably mistaken.

About half a mile below the lower of the two craters, the stream first made its appearance. For five or six miles its course was well-defined and there were no side streams. From this point the main stream divided more or less, and on the elevated plain between the three mountains of Hawaii, Hualolai, Mauna Kea, and Mauna Loa, the branches extended over a breadth of three or four miles. Some of these streams were very broad and sluggish, and partially cooled. Some were narrow, and running two or three miles per hour, burning the jungle and trees before them, and, as it were, vieing with each other in their work of destruction. For the first few miles the stream seemed to be a series of cataracts and rapids. As it approached the plain between the mountains, it gradually changed into a net-work of streams, or a lake of fire, embracing numerous islands, and sending out streams on all sides. The color of the stream on its first appearance was a light red, approaching to white; on the plain a deep blood-red. From the plain towards Wainanalü, the place where it flowed into the sea, the stream was narrow, varying from half a mile to a mile in width, and showing a dull red light.

Such was the view spread out before us. To say that it combined the magnificence of a conflagration, with the sublimity of a mighty mountain torrent, may give some idea of it. Yet such was the extent and variety of the scene that no adequate comparison can be found.

The next morning we moved our camp down to the new lava, about half a mile from the lower crater. Here we melted snow, which our natives had brought down from the mountain in sacks, over the steam cracks. We had been short of water, but finding snow within a mile of our camp and such an excellent place to melt it, we no longer had fears on this score. We also boiled our coffee, and cooked our jerked beef over the cracks in the new lava, which showed a red heat only a foot from the surface.

The day proved foggy and rainy, but we were able to make some explorations about the craters. A strong wind was blowing from the south—and taking advantage of this we could ascend the craters on the windward side and look into them. The heat was so intense, however, that we had to hold something before our faces, and the sulphurous vapors so suffocating that we were obliged to shut our mouths and hold our noses. In this way we could look for a moment, and then come down the side of the crater a few feet and take breath and get cool.

The craters were not, as we expected to find them, one large opening, extending down into the bowels of the earth, but were made up of three or four openings of only a few feet in diameter. From these gases were issuing, but we saw no liquid lava. All the inside of the crater, or at least the lower part of it, was at a white heat. We were somewhat disappointed in the craters, but it seems they were uncommonly quiet then. Four or five days afterwards another gentleman looked into one of these craters, and saw liquid lava.

At night we pitched our tent on the edge of the new lava, where it was black, and, as we thought, almost cold. After spreading our blankets and lying down, however, we found our mistake. The blankets became so hot from the escaping steam that we could hardly bear our hands on them. Beating a hasty retreat from this spot, it was proposed to encamp on the old lava. But this proposition was voted down, for we were nearly 10,000 feet above the level of the sea and only a few feet below the region of snow. Our clothes were wet, and if we encamped on the old lava, it was urged, and with some reason, that we should perish with cold. After looking about for a few minutes, we found a thin spot of new lava, which was broken up into small pieces, so that most of its heat had escaped. Encamping on this we found it very comfortable, so far as temperature was concerned, but in point of softness, far inferior to a bed of cobble-stones or broken bricks.

The next morning we set out to visit the point where the stream first made its appearance. This was about half a mile below the lower crater. Here we found the lava rushing out from its subterranean passage-way, at a white heat, as liquid as water apparently, and dashing over cataracts and along rapids at such a rate that the eye could scarcely follow it. A few rods below the place where the stream issued, the escaping gases were throwing up bits of lava to the height of 50 feet.

After returning to our camp for breakfast, we visited this spot again. The escaping gases were now throwing up bits and even masses of lava in three places, to the height of 50 to 150 feet. The smaller bits cooled as they fell, and formed craters around the spots from which they were thrown up. These craters were already 10 feet high, and in one of them so much lava was thrown up, that it soon came to be a fountain some 30 feet high.

Reluctantly leaving a spot of so much grandeur and interest as this, we commenced our descent on the south side of the stream, sending our natives with the baggage, on the old lava, at some distance from the channel in which the stream was then running. We went ourselves on the new lava, beside the flowing stream. We were able to do this without suffering much from the heat, as a strong wind was blowing from the south. Here we found smooth walking, though the lava was so hot in some places that our shoes would have been burned had we not protected them by sandals of raw hide.

The width of the stream was from 20 to 100 feet, but its velocity immense. Some of our party thought it 100 miles per hour. We could not calculate it in any way, for pieces of cold lava thrown into it, melted and sank almost instantly. The velocity certainly seemed as great as that of a railroad car. For eight or ten miles the stream presented a continued succession of cascades, rapids, curves, and eddies, with an occasional cataract. Some of these were formed by the nature of the ground over which it flowed, some by the new lava itself. The stream had built up its own banks on each side, and had added to the depth of its channel by melting at the bottom. It flowed much more gracefully than water. In consequence of its immense velocity and imperfect mobility, its surface took the same shape as the ground over which it flowed. It, therefore, presented not only hollows, but ridges. In several places, for a few feet, the course of the stream was an ascent of 5 to 10 degrees, in one instance of 25 degrees. Where the turns in the stream were short, the outside was much higher than the inside; so much was this the case in some instances, that the outside curved over the inside forming a spiral.

After admiring and wondering at these sights, as we descended for ten or twelve miles, we at length came to where the stream flowed much slower, and sent off branches on both sides. It was now nearly night, and, finding a good place, we encamped.

The next day, which was our last at the "Flows," we spent in looking at the small side streams, as they turned out into the woods, burning and blackening everything before them; and at the large, deep streams, partially cooling and damming up, then breaking out and moving on as a river when it breaks up its ice in Spring. From the side streams we took out liquid specimens, and inserted coins in them. These, though not as handsome as the natural specimens, we valued highly, as they would prove to our friends that we had not only seen, but taken out of the stream, liquid lava.

One of the most remarkable features of this "flow" was the short time in which it reached the sea. In less than eight days it passed over a distance of forty miles, making the average daily progress over five miles. This, I believe, is a greater progress than has ever been known of heretofore. The lava "flows" of Ætna and Vesuvius move very slow—generally only a few rods per day; and those which have occurred here have moved very slow after the first few miles. That of '55 and '56, although it continued several months, and was advancing all the while, did not reach the sea at all. The flows of '52 also did not reach the sea. That of 1840 reached the sea, but its source was much lower down—within ten miles of the coast.

Another peculiarity of the present flow is the remarkable fluidity of the lava. The lavas of Hawaii have always, so far as known, been much more liquid than those of other volcanoes. But this flow seemed to surpass former ones in this respect.

There have been and are many theories respecting the cause of volcanic eruptions. Most agree that the remote cause is the passage of the internal heat of the earth to the surface. But what the immediate force is which expels melted lava from the bowels of the earth, or even from the bowels of a mountain, geologists are not agreed upon. Professor DANA's theory is that the expelling force is derived principally from steam, which is generated from the rain-water that descends through the porous rocks of volcanic regions until it meets with heat sufficient to throw it into steam; that this steam accumulates in the internal reservoirs of lava until its pressure becomes so great as to make a fissure in the mountain, or an outlet of some kind, and that lava is then thrown out, until the expansive power of the steam is exhausted.

Unfortunately it cannot be ascertained certainly whether this theory is true or not, for Nature does not allow us to descend into the interior of the earth and view the processes going on there. This theory, however, derives great support from the fact that on the whole western slope of Mauna Loa, a region of about one thousand square miles in extent, though rains are frequent, there are but few springs, no large streams, nor but one streamlet even which continues through the year. One is forced to ask, What becomes of the rain? and this theory accounts for its disappearance more satisfactorily than it otherwise can be accounted for.

But whatever be the cause of volcanic action, no one who has visited Hawaii will doubt that the Island has been entirely formed by eruptions of lava from its three mountains, Hualolai, Mauna Koa and Mauna Loa, the two former of which are not now subject to volcanic action. By an easy calculation from the frequency and amount of the lava eruptions on Mauna Loa, we can make a rough estimate of the time which has elapsed while the Island has been growing to its present size. The base of Mauna Loa is about 120 miles in circumference, and it is a fair estimate to say that an average "flow" covers a breadth of four miles at the base with twelve feet of lava. At this rate the mountain would be increased twelve feet in height, all over its surface, by thirty "flows." Now suppose that there are thirty "flows" in a century, which is a high estimate, the mountain would then grow twelve feet per century. As the mountain is 13,760 feet high, this would make the Island about one hundred and fifteen thousand (115,000) years old, which is probably a very moderate estimate.

Yours, &c., BLUE BR——D.

LETTER FROM DETROIT.

Troubles in the Post-office—Removal of the Former Incumbent and the Reasons Therefor—The Congregational Association and Anti-Slavery—A Farce Founded on the Judson Case—Effects of the War News, &c.

Correspondence of the New-York Times.

DETROIT, Mich., Monday, May 23, 1859.

It must be acknowledged that Mr. BUCHANAN has been particularly unfortunate in the appointment of his Postmasters at many principal points. In Boston, Mr. CAPEN has been involved in a world of trouble on account of too ardent a desire to put money into his (Mr. CAPEN'S) pocket through the instrumentality of the office of which he has charge. In Philadelphia, Mr. WESTCOTT has had grave and formal charges preferred against him, which has convinced Mr. HOLT, after a patient investigation, that the interests of the Department will be subserved by his removal, and he has consequently so recommended. At Chicago, Mr. PRICE, the first appointee, was removed during the excitement on the Lecompton question, on account of a want of orthodoxy on that test of faith. Mr. COOK, who was appointed to succeed him, is now trembling in his boots lest he also shall be decapitated. Charges have been preferred against him very much of the same nature as those against Mr. WESTCOTT, and he has been unable to disprove them, although ample time has been allowed him for that purpose. It is confidently anticipated in that city that he will be removed, and it is, moreover, confidently anticipated that some friend of Mr. DOUGLAS will succeed him. But in the whole list of bad appointments, that of O'FLYNN in this City was, without any exception, the worst. In the first place, it was not desired or recommended by any one, and its announcement was received with the greatest astonishment. All the prominent Democrats, not only of the city but of the State, had agreed in recommending another person; and they not only did not desire O'FLYNN, but were bitterly opposed to his appointment. From the very day, therefore, on which it was known that he had obtained the office, there was a determination that he should be ousted. The Lecompton matter, however, came near overturning all these intentions, for while nearly all of his opponents were either strong in their denunciations of the course of the Administration, or were, to say the least, lukewarm in their support, he alone stood by the President, and gave him a warm, zealous and apparently honest support, though it certainly was not a very discreet support, considering the state of public feeling hereabouts. This would have placed him wholly beyond the reach and machinations of all his enemies, had he not himself subsequently furnished them with the very weapons they most desired. The knife with which he was decapitated was one of his own presentment. It is well known that, owing to suspicions apparently well founded, the Post-office Department last Fall directed its special agents to inquire into the condition and management of certain offices, and among others, into that of Detroit. An agent here made his investigations, and in December presented his report, in which the following charges were preferred against O'FLYNN:

1. That he procured blank receipts from some of his clerks, and filled them up with higher sums than were paid such clerks, putting the difference into his own pocket;

2. That he obtained an allowance for more clerks than were actually employed in the office;

3. That he paid some of his clerks, and also route agents, in bank bills, instead of gold and silver, in direct violation of law, he realizing a profit on the gold by the sale of it;

4. That he assessed 10 per cent. on the salaries of some of his clerks, for the support of the Detroit *Herald*, a weekly sheet published by him, and attempted to assess the route agents of the State of Michigan the same per cent of their salaries, for his own uses, on the pretence that he was authorized by the Post-office Department to make such assessment;

5. That he did not make returns of surplus box-rents, but retained such rents, amounting to considerable sums, in direct violation of law.

These charges were supported by the most ample proof, and notice was immediately given O'FLYNN that he must establish his innocence or suffer the consequences. He dilly-dallied along under one excuse and another, until the middle of April, when, not having furnished the least evidence to disprove the charges, he had permission to resign, and did so. As was natural, in such cases, no little strife arose among various candidates for the position, and the contest waxing warm, O'FLYNN thought no choice could be made, and accordingly withdrew his resignation, thinking to still retain his post. This was too much even for the imperturbable Mr. BUCHANAN, and he was forthwith removed and Mr. HENRY N. WALAN appointed as his successor. Mr. WALAN was Attorney-General of the State some ten years ago, has since been President of the Detroit and Milwaukee Railway Company, is at present a member of the Democratic State Central Committee, and is in all respects a competent and worthy man, enjoying the respect and confidence of the community, and likely to give the most universal satisfaction in his official career, if we may judge anything by the manner in which he enters upon his duties.

The new *régime* find the most ample proof of the incompetency, not to say criminality, of the former incumbent. If there was any doubt before of the propriety of a change, it has vanished now. One or two facts substantiate this. The new Postmaster has found among the letters advertised, and among those for general delivery, more than seven hundred belonging to persons who have boxes, and thirty-seven which were plainly addressed to persons at other offices, in this State and other States. Some of these letters contain drafts and other valuables amounting to several thousand dollars, and many others of them contained intelligence for the want of which the business interests of many men have suffered to the extent of several thousand dollars more. It is stated, upon intelligence received from Washington, that O'FLYNN will be proceeded with upon criminal suits on account of some of the charges before specified. If it be so, it will be done by the United States authorities, for his enemies here are disposed to let the matter drop, now that they have succeeded in securing his removal.

The Congregational Association of Michigan has been in session in this city for the past few days, and has devoted itself to the sin of Slavery with the same zeal and ardor that characterized many of the Societies which met in New-York a short time since. The discussion, however, was confined to one side of the question, so far as Slavery itself was concerned, bu upon some of the minor points there was a vast difference in opinion. The action of the American Tract Society was severely condemned, and the Society itself denounced. It was almost unanimously resolved not to take or transmit contributions to that body, but when the question arose as to where they should be sent—whether to the Boston Society or to the Cincinnati Society—a heated debate arose, and the matter was finally settled by an agreement to leave it optional with the churches themselves. The Boston Society, however, evidently stood in rather the best favor, from the fact that its agent was able to prove it the more ultra on the Anti-Slavery side. The Congregational is altogether the most ultra of any of the Churches of this State upon the Slavery question; still the same spirit pervades all of them to a greater or less extent, just as it does with all classes of the people, no matter whether they have any religious faith or not. Michigan is Republican by a large majority, and will continue to be so long as Slavery is in any way mixed up with politics. At the Judicial election this Spring, when there was no particular amount of feeling either one way or the other, and which was consequently a good test of the relative strength of the two parties, the Republican candidate was elected by 12,238 majority, larger by 3,103 than that given for the Republican ticket last Fall. These facts are not consoling to the Democrats: still they manage to scrape up a pretty efficient party organization, much more so than the Republicans, to which we must attribute the fact that the majority of the latter is not larger than it is.

This city is favored with but one theatre, and even that is not supported as its merits deserve. It has lately passed into a new management, and now manifests symptoms of doing better than it has hitherto. An opera troupe lately performed two weeks, to crowded houses, and were followed by Miss MATILDA HERON, who remained a week. To-night Mr. and Mrs. WALLER appear, and will remain six nights, at least. Last week Mr. SHERLOCK, the manager, brought out a new farce, which proved to be a decided hit, and promises to have a long run. It is called "Beauties of Amalgamation," and is founded upon the celebrated Judson case which occurred in this vicinity last Winter. It was written by Mr. WARREN P. ISHAM, city editor of the *Free Press*, and infallibly brings down the house by its many local hits. There is a little stiffness in some portions of it, and the *finale* is conceived in the worst taste of any part, but these are overlooked by the audience in the merits they find in other portions of it, and will be remedied by a little change, and the addition of another scene which is in rehearsal.

The war is the great absorbing topic here just now, as it is everywhere else. The telegraphic dispatches are seized upon with the greatest avidity every day, and every additional piece of intelligence is made the source of countless speculations, set forth only to be dissipated by the next piece of intelligence that arrives. The farmers and other producers are all alive with pleasant anticipations, while consumers already begin to dispense with first qualities of flour, &c., and content themselves with a second but cheaper grade.

X.

KENTUCKY POLITICS.

The United Democrats' Nominee for Congress—Their Choice for the Presidency.

Correspondence of the New-York Times.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Tuesday, May 17, 1859.

The Douglasites and Buchananites of our Seventh Congressional District, after all their spats, have again come together and dovetailed.

They met in Convention the other day, absolved one another, wiped out the past, practically ignored their "immaterial, non-essential issues" about squatter sovereignty and the like, and virtually declared themselves thenceforth one and inseparable. Hereafter, while they may still be at liberty to think and talk as they please about themselves and their "principles," to construe their platforms and "decisions" to mean anything or nothing, as may most suit their convenience, and be best adapted to their surrounding circumstances, they will do so with the mutual understanding that they will all *act together* for the party, and the party's flesh-pots.

Col. THOS. H. HOLT is their man. According to them, a gallant hero, who was only scotched two years ago by MARSHALL, and is now more deadly than ever; a plucky, spunky, brassy "Colonel," more illustrious by his strife with MARSHALL than by even his feats in the Mexican War; the only man among the "unterrified" of face and fluency enough, let alone his calibre, to dare meet for a moment the heavy and well-directed artillery of the Opposition candidate; the only one of them sufficiently self-possessed, adroit and quick to parry or dodge the strokes of MARSHALL's ponderous battle-axe, or obstinate and self-conceited enough not to know when he is whipped, and so to fight on, or make a show of fight, and even to claim the victory after he has been worsted. Anyhow, I reckon Col. MARSHALL will prove too much for "Colonel" HOLT again. Though Col. HOLT be the first choice of the Administration, the first cousin of the Postmaster-General, the first love and first husband of one of the handsomest and most fascinating belles of Washington City, as honest a politician, as polished a gentleman, as honorable and faithful in all the business and social relations of life as Col HUMPHREY MARSHALL, or even more so, he has not, in my notion, the bottom to come out first against such a war-horse; he can't hold a candle to the redoubtable old HUMPHREY in the field of partizan warfare, in knowledge and application of party tactics, in logical weight, ingenuity and force, or in political experience and deserts.

Col. MARSHALL, with all his faults and weaknesses—and who of us, in public or private life, is without them?—has been tried in many a strife, at home and at Washington, always found equal to the emergency, and is to-day as strong, vigorous and formidable as ever. Though he should stand solely upon his past record, and not upon the Opposition's Louisville Platform, ignore the proceedings of the "new party's" Convention, and of the District Convention which nominated him, and proclaim himself as much of an American in principle and policy as he was two years ago, I believe the voters of this District would reelect him to Congress in spite of such impropriety and indiscretion, fairly, and by a respectable majority, in consideration of his eminent military and civil services to the country, his deserved national, statesman-like reputation, and his well-known and generally acknowledged intellectual, personal and political superiority over his competitor.

The Democracy at Lagrange, after nominating Col. HOLT, took occasion to "recommend to the Charleston Convention" JAMES GUTHRIE for the Presidency, as "the noble exponent of the everlasting truths of the Democratic faith," of "spotless fame and matchless administrative ability,"—a second Alexander Hamilton, without any taint of Federalism, and "the best nomination that can be made for the success of the Democratic Party, the development of its principles, and the preservation of the Union." Mr. GUTHRIE may also be the final, if not the first, choice of the Kentucky delegates at Charleston, as the most available man to save the Party and its "everlasting truths" (and spoils,) and so to save the Union. Without its saving help and cohesive power, of course the Union would dissolve in an instant. Indeed, they may claim JAMES GUTHRIE as so giant and unmistakable an embodiment of their eternal and sunlike "principles," that he will need no platform to stand and tread upon. JAMES GUTHRIE is the man whom the whole party can trust for principles,—whose exposition (so far as he shall deign and deem it wise to give any) of their "everlasting truths," will be wide and long enough in scope and stretch to take them all in as brothers, "National Democrats," and whose "spotless integrity" and "matchless administrative ability" will prove no less signal in securing the "success of the party," and thereby the "preservation of the Union," than in attaining his ends in matters of finance. Let us wait and see. When the sky shall fall, (and there's no telling what may happen these days,) it will be time enough to catch the larks.

PONTIAC.

THE COUNTERFEIT $100 BILLS ON THE BRIGHTON BANK.—The Boston *Traveller* says: "The circulation of the Brighton counterfeit bills appear to have been simultaneous at New-York and the South, but we do not yet learn of any having been offered in this city. So far bills to the amount of $1,900 have been sent on to this city from the South and West for redemption, of which $400 was received to-day from a bank in Memphis, Tenn., and $200 from the Bank of Metropolis, New-York. One broker in New-York exchanged in one day $2,200 of the bills, and probably the total amount put in circulation so far as known, will reach $5,000. The Brighton Market Bank intends, we understand, to withdraw its $100 bills from circulation.

FROM THE PACIFIC.

Arrival of the Overland Mail—California News to April 29.

The Overland Mail brings California dates to the 29th April—nine days later than steamer advices. We are indebted to BUTTERFIELD & Co.'s., and WELLS, FARGO & Co.'s Expresses for papers. The mining news from all the mining localities in California was very encouraging. The mining community have never been more busy nor ever before better rewarded for their labors. The aggregate yield of the mines was very large, and is beginning to tell favorably on the shipments of gold from San Francisco.

At Columbia, on the 27th, there was found a lump of gold weighing 37 pounds 7 ounces—worth $8,300. It was dug within the city limits.

Gen. ESTILL died in San Francisco on the 26th April at the age of 49 years. He was formerly of Madison County, Kentucky.

Captains ARCHER and FRASER, at Fort Simcoe, with their companies, have been ordered to take up their line of march for Okanagan, to arrive there on the 1st of June. They have been ordered to take thirty days' supplies. When they join the Boundary Commission, they are to relieve the present escort. A Lieutenant, with fifteen men, will remain in charge of Fort Simcoe, which post will, we learn, be turned over to the Indian Department.

Major LUGENBEEL, with two companies, proceeds direct from Fort Dalles to Fort Colville, and will operate in that region during the ensuing season.

Dates from Fort Yuma, to May 4, contain the important intelligence that Col. HOFFMAN and his command had just made a treaty with the Mohave Indians. Further hostilities, therefore, with this powerful and mischievous tribe are, for the present, avoided.

OREGON.

The Oregon Democratic State Convention met at Salem, April 20, and nominated LANSING STOUT as their candidate for Representative to Congress, and J. B. SYKES as candidate for Superintendent of the Penitentiary.

The Republican Convention convened April 21, adopted a platform, and nominated DAVID LOGAN for Congress, and W. T. MATLOCK Penitentiary Commissioner.

Governor WHITACRE has issued his proclamation convening the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon on the 16th May.

UTAH.

A letter to the San Francisco *Herald*, dated at Genoa, Carson Valley, April 21, says:

"The course of Governor CUMMING, of this Territory, in protesting against the action of Judge CRADLEBAUGH and General JOHNSTON, the former in requesting, the latter in granting, the use of soldiers for the protection of the United States District Court at Provo, is viewed with supreme disgust by every Gentile in the Territory, and justifies the conclusion that the report circulated a little while ago, that the Governor had joined the Mormons, is not without foundation.

Even with the assistance of the military at hand, it seems it was impossible to administer justice at Provo, although a firm and upright judge used every exertion to that effect, and went so far as to point out to the grand jury the guilty parties who should be indicted.

In this Valley everything is very dull; many of the inhabitants are engaged on the mountains in endeavoring to make a path to Placerville; those who are left are making ready to plant wheat and other grains in larger quantities than heretofore. It is very difficult to procure seed. Some have gone to Honey Lake for this purpose."

TAHITI.

The San Francisco *Herald* learns from Tahiti that Queen POMARE and her two sons were still in prison on the 22d March. The Queen was confined in her castle at Papiete. Her sons are narrowly guarded, and any attempt at revolt will be the signal for their death. There are only seven hundred French troops in the place, but thus far they have been able to overawe the natives, as the latter are without firearms. Everything appeared quiet, but an outbreak was daily anticipated, and the next arrival will probably bring intelligence of a revolution, as the natives are determined not to submit to the terms proposed by the French Governor. It will be remembered that the difficulty arose from a conflict of authority between the Queen and chiefs and the French. The French have long sought for a pretext to end the protectorate and annex the Islands to France. This pretext now presents itself, and the next news will be that the French flag has supplanted the Tahitian, and that the Queen and Princes are on their way to Paris.

Further by the Overland Mail.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

ST. LOUIS, Tuesday, May 24.

The Overland Mail arrived this evening with San Francisco advices of the 2d May.

Business was inactive in consequence of unusually heavy rains.

Rumors prevailed at Los Angeles that the steamer *Santa Cruz* had been detained at Guaymas, and pressed into the service of PESQUIERA, and her passengers imprisoned.

Accounts from Fraser's River are gloomy.

ST. LOUIS, Wednesday, May 25.

We have the following additional items by Overland mail:

There is much bad feeling existing between the Mexicans and Americans along the line, and several Mexicans had been killed at Sonora.

General WALKER had an agent at the Gila Mines enrolling volunteers for his fillibuster expedition. Passengers from San Francisco deny the truth of the published statement that WALKER had sailed with 300 men on the steamer *Orizaba* for Acapulco. The rumor that Col. HOFFMAN had made a treaty with the Mohave Indians is confirmed.

Advices from Honolulu, of 16th April, state that King KAMEHAMEHA had addressed a message to the Legislature, advising a change in the Constitution.

The French have abandoned the Marquesas for military purposes, and design establishing a strong military and naval dépôt at New-Caledonia Island, near Sydney. The plan embraces the restoration of Queen POMARE as ruler of the Society Islands.

The Ohio Slave Rescuers and the Michigan Congregationalists.

The State Congregational Convention of Michigan, in session at Detroit, adopted, May 23, a series of resolutions expressive of sympathy with the Oberlin rescuers now in jail at Cleveland. The resolutions were reported by a Special Committee. They conclude as follows:

That we are ready to coöperate in any effort which may be initiated in Ohio for their pecuniary relief.

That we call the attention of all our Christian brethren and fellow-citizens throughout the nation to the present case, as developing the utter, inevitable antagonism of Slavery to the dictates of humanity, and to the demands of the law of equal, impartial love; and as developing, also, the natural oppressiveness of the Slave power toward, not the bond only, but the free; developments which show that a system of Slavery like our own, is not fit to be tolerated anywhere among the common offspring of our one Father, and least of all in a nation which claims to be not only civilized but Christian.

The Rev. Mr. HART, of Ravenna, Ohio, took the floor in support of the resolutions. He wished to make a statement of the facts in the case. One of the prisoners, he said, was the last Moderator of the Ohio Conference. Before coming here, he had spent a day in the prison with him—a darksome, dismal place. It was an occasion calculated to awaken the deepest sympathy.

The Rev. Prof. COWLES, of Oberlin, had a word to say. The friends at Oberlin go into this matter as a matter of conscience. We believe in a higher law than man's enactments—a law that teaches us that we shall not deliver up to his master the slave that has escaped unto us. We would be abjuring our Christianity to assist in the surrender of a fugitive; it would cost us all our hopes of Heaven. We will do all we can to avoid violating the law, but when the thing comes to the point, we will go to the gibbet or the stake before we will give up a fugitive. The speaker had stood in his own door, and seen the fugitive come up trembling and panting, and ask for succor and protection. Should he give him up? Never. So help him God, never! [Applause.]

The Rev. Mr. HART stated that the expenses of these brethren would be very large, though the lawyers of Cleveland have honorably given them their defence. They propose to fight the thing—to try every legal point—will have separate trials—they mean to carry it into the next Presidential campaign. BUSHNELL's expense was $1,500 to $2,000. The others would be a little more. We propose to arrange some plan to meet this heavy outlay, and shall be glad of your assistance.

The report of the Committee was then adopted by a rising vote, there being but a few who retained their seats.

Northern Mexico.

INTERESTING FROM SONORA—ANTI-AMERICAN EXCITEMENT AT HERMOSILLO—CAPTURE OF MAZATLAN.

From the Arizonian, May 5.

Mr. W. H. JARVIS, in company with several Americans, residents of this Territory, arrived in Tubaco from Sonora on the evening of the 30th ult. Their departure from Hermosillo was somewhat accelerated from the fact that a singular excitement existed in the city, and every American was notified to leave at once, under penalty of death for remaining. The population was greatly excited, thronging the streets, insulting and threatening Americans, evidently with full consent from the authorities, who seemed to share the prevailing sentiment.

In one or two instances houses belonging to Americans were forcibly entered by the mob, who threatened a general massacre of every American in the city, and as the fifteen or twenty there were scattered about in various places, the opportunity for such a characteristic Mexican performance was excellent.

There was no particular reason assigned for this sudden and remarkable ebullition of hostility toward Americans. No cause had been given that any American was aware of. The few Americans in the city were quietly attending to their own affairs when they were beset.

We do not credit the rumor that WALKER and LOCKRIDGE meditate a descent upon the northern States of Mexico; if they do, it is our belief that they will meet the fate which all freebooters deserve. The peope of Sonora labor under a grave mistake when they charge inhabitants of this Territory with being favorable to fillibustering, or any unlawful design upon Mexican soil. At the same time we do not hesitate to express a hope that the day is not far distant when in a fair, open and honorable manner, the United States Government will extend its laws and institutions over the State of Sonora.

The following circular announces to the people of Sonora the capture of Mazatlan by the Liberal Party:

CIRCULAR.

Republic of Mexico—Government of Sonora and Provisional of Sinaloa.

The Western military division under command of the Constitutional Governor of Sonora and Sinaloa, has, after over three hours hard fighting, taken possession of this important place, this morning, at 6¼ o'clock, and has again added to its laurels by its valor and constancy in defending the Constitution of the country.

The Governor will soon give the details of the memorable action fought to-day, with the reactionists of this port; and for the present, only states that the place was defended by 900 men and 32 pieces of artillery, with important fortifications, plenty of stores and munitions of war; that it was taken by storm, and all the forts, stores, &c., fell into our hands. The enemy lost a large number in killed, wounded and prisoners, some of which are officers of high rank and distinction. The loss of the Government, although considerable, has been less than that of the enemy, while storming eight fortified points, fortified according to all the rules of war, and defended with a bravery worthy of a better cause.

In giving this account to your Honors of the heroic assault of Mazatlan, to be transmitted to the people of your districts, I have also the satisfaction to announce that the Constitution and laws have been reestablished in Sinaloa, and crowned with the most brilliant success. The Government will soon be able to carry out its promises made to the people of both States in the beginning of the campaign, for their sacrifices in the midst of difficulties which they have endured, but ever prosecuted with glory and fortune to the cause of the people.

MANUEL MONTEVERDE, Secretary.

To the Prefects of the Districts of Sonora and Sinaloa.

MAZATLAN, April 3, 1859.

PERSONAL.

An elopement of a lover with a wealthy ward, and a subsequent marriage of the parties in Cincinnati, is the latest piece of personal gossip from the West. The runaway pair were Miss Eliza McDonnel and Thomas P. Bryant, of Nelson County, Ky. The young lady, it appears, is the heiress of a large property, and was the ward of a stern guardian, who determined she should not wed her suitor because he had met with some financial reverses. So much opposed was he to the match he had at one time favored, that he forbade the lady seeing her lover at all, and began a series of persecutions that resulted in open rebellion and a firm resolution to run away. The wedding was performed last week at the Spencer House in Cincinnati, in the lady's bedchamber—the Rev. Dr. Scott officiating. The bride and groom then went back comfortably to Kentucky.

A dozen public-spirited citizens of Boston have secured a very valuable historical painting, by Copley, which is now on its passage to Boston. The subject of the painting is "King Charles I. demanding of the House of Commons the five impeached Members." As a work of art, it is regarded as second only to the same great painter's picture of the "Death of Lord Chatham." It is of large size, and contains portraits of upwards of fifty noted persons. The picture was first brought to the attention of Hon. Josiah Quincy, while Mayor, by John Quincy Adams, and a paper was started to secure it for the City of Boston more than thirty years ago, but circumstances prevented the collection of the subscriptions and the movement was not revived.

LeRoy Sunderland is in trouble. In the Massachusetts Supreme Court, a day or two ago, a hearing was had on the libel for divorce in the case of Mehitable Sunderland *vs.* LeRoy Sunderland, in which the libelant claimed that her husband, being of sufficient means and ability to provide suitable maintenance for her, has "grossly, wantonly and cruelly refused and neglected so to do." The respondent's answer denies all this, and alleges desertion on her part, refusal and neglect to inhabit the home he has always provided for her, and his payment, under protest, of the necessary expenses for her comfortable and suitable support. The case is on.

Bishop Potter, of Pennsylvania, writes home from Pau, Lower Pyrenees, France, that he has not made much progress in regaining his health since he left the United States; but still he does not suffer much acute pain, and is in hopes of being restored to health. According to the advice of his physicians, he leads a life almost entirely in idleness, which he deeply regrets, preferring the stimulus and gentle excitement attending the discharge of his various duties at home. His tour abroad will probably extend another year, as his medical advisers do not think he will be fully restored to health before that time.

An interesting emblem of Eastern sovereignty is on exhibition at a London jeweler's. It consists of a sceptre, found in the treasury room of the King's apartments at Lucknow, and was given to Lieut. Morland, First Bengal Fusileers, by one of the men, and by him presented to the present owner, Mr. W. H. Russell, the correspondent of the *Times*, who has deposited it where it can be seen. It was recognized in Lucknow as a very ancient sceptre, sent by the King of Delhi in 1785 to the Nawab Vizier of Oude, as a token of his favor, and was usually kept in the Hooseinabad, and used in the annual processions by the King.

The challenge of the Rev. Mr. Richmond (Episcopalian) of Milwaukee, for a discussion of Episcopacy, has been accepted by Prof. J. B. Turner, of Jacksonville, Ill. Prof. Turner expresses his views freely, deeming it a "great pity" that Mr. Richmond's challenge "should stand before the people of Illinois for some twelve years, and that at last he should be driven to go out of the State, away down to New-York, for a competitor." Mr. Richmond, it will be remembered, unsuccessfully challenged the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher.

The Philadelphia *Ledger* says: "The Rev. George Chandler, who has been settled since 1813—a period of 46 years—over the First Presbyterian Church, Kensington, dedicated the new edifice, recently built by the people of his charge, on Sunday morning last. This venerable clergyman is now, since the death of Dr. Myers, the oldest preacher in Philadelphia. In the course of his ministry, he has married 3,166 couples, and performed funeral services over the remains of 5,000 persons.

On dit—that John C. Heenan, "the Benicia Boy," is shortly to be married to a beautiful young lady of position in Cincinnati. The lady is said to be very talented, and writes for various periodicals. But her chief claims to distinction are her military honors. She was born in a soldier's barracks, and educated as a "Soldier's Daughter."

The Rev. Dr. Lothrop, the Rev. Dr. Blagden, the Hon. James Savage, Abbott Lawrence, the Hon. Geo. Lunt, of Boston, have been appointed a Committee to obtain subscriptions for the erection of a new Congregational Church in London, in memory of the early Massachusetts Colonists, who came out of the First Society in that city.

The six Acting-Midshipmen who were dismissed from the Navy for being participants in tarring and feathering one of their comrades at the Naval Academy, in April last, have been reinstated in their positions.

Gov. Banks, accompanied by Adjutant-General Stone, visited Concord, Mass., May 23, to make arrangements for the proposed encampment of the entire military force of the State at that place during the coming Fall.

The President has appointed First-Lieutenant Tredwell Moore, Second Infantry, to fill the vacancy in the Quartermastes's Department, occasioned by the death of Captain Paige.

An address has been presented in Montreal to Lieut. Gen. Sir W. Eyre, on the occasion of his approaching departure, by the Lord Bishop of Montreal, for himself and the Church Society.

The monument in memory of the Pilgrims, to be erected at Plymouth, is taking form. Nearly a thousand tons of granite have been delivered at the site, and the corner-stone will be laid in August.

Mr. Wight's portrait of Edward Everett is being reproduced in London by a celebrated engraver.

Bishop Davis (Episcopal) of South Carolina, has become nearly blind from cataract.

The Mormon Immigrants en route to Utah

From the Chicago Press and Tribune.

At the Michigan Central Dépôt grounds, yesterday morning, arrived a special train from Detroit, bearing a small party of Latter-Day Saints and Saintesses, only seven hundred and fifty strong, a fresh arrival in this country by the Liverpool liner packet ship *William Tapscott*, at New-York, on Friday last.

They travel in the ordinary manner of emigrants, coming hither in emigrant and second-class cars. They look to surrounding Gentiledom for bread and various cooked viands, and eat in their own messes or squads, save as we noticed yesterday a few of the better class were not slow or behind any of the elbowing crowd in a game of knife-and-fork at the adjacent eating houses. Although sharing a delusion whose worst effects await them in the home of their faith, whither their glad footsteps are hastening, they seemed a very cheerful, well-contented company. The Scandinavian delegations looked particularly plump, and had a well-kept, wholesome look, which the experience of the plains may vary.

The entire Company, as contracted by their agent, representing the whole, left in a special train for the Mississippi, thence across Missouri by rail to St. Joseph's. There a steamer awaits them to Florence, N. T., their proposed point of departure across the plains. They have with them a large amount of baggage, nearly twenty-five tons in all, or an aggregate of three or four tons over and above the baggage allowed and free to each passenger. From their point of departure, their overland journey they propose to make up the usual train of ox teams, to reach Salt Lake as early as possible.

This is the second company of Mormons that has passed through this city within a month. The former consisted of about two hundred and fifty. We learn that about one hundred of the emigrants by the *Tapscott* deserted at New-York, showing that they had availed themselves of this tidal wave of proselytism for an easier flitting to this country. The same may prevail with others of the company, but the majority are evidently intense and zealous religionists, and bound up in the destiny of their copartners in the Mormon faith and doctrines.

ALLEGED PERJURY AND ATTEMPT TO BLACKMAIL.—Philip Moses and Samuel Preiss, two Polish Jews, entered a complaint, Monday, before Justice WELSH, against Wm. Meyer, tailor, at No. 554 Broadway, charging him with having inveigled one of them, Preiss, into the rear of his store, knocking him down and robbing him of his watch. On being examined, both of the complainants told such contradictory stories that a charge of attempting to blackmail the defendant, and having sworn falsely in their affidavits, was preferred against them. The magistrate committed them both to the City Prison to answer in default of $1,000 bail each.

LAW REPORTS.

COURT CALENDAR—THURSDAY, MAY 26.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—Nos. 11, 24 to 32.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM—Adjourned to Friday.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT.—*Part I.*—Nos. 601, 787, 1841, 1647, 1673, 1727, 1789, 1865, 1925, 1937, 1949, 1953, 1955, 257, 1731, 1125, 307, 1573, 1959, 1961, 1965, 1967, 1969, 1971, 1973, 1975, 1977, 1979, 1981, 1863, 267. *Part II.*—Nos. 184, 1660, 1616, 1542, 1788, 1789, 1942, 1944, 1946, 1950, 1956, 1960, 1962, 1964, 1968, 1970, 1974, 1976, 1980, 1692, 1220, 1963, 801, 1865, 552, 1934, 2056, 760, 1125, 307, 1914, 1697, 382.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM.—*Part I.*—Nos. 584, 611, 285, 617, 625, 626, 581, 591, 350, 785, 212, 565, 367, 155, 426, 427, 363, 255, 862, 225, 148, 507, 428, 52, 166, 458, 610, 561, 260½, 33, 397, 579, 132, 86, 172. *Part II.*—Nos. 524, 529, 534, 537, 578, 456, 61, 494, 530, 463, 627, 628, 629, 630, 632, 633, 635, 636, 637, 639.

SUPREME COURT NOTICE.—Notes of Issue for the June Special Term must be filed with the Clerk, on or before Saturday, May 28. Each note must distinctly state on the face thereof whether *Demurrer* or *not Demurrer*.

JOHN CLANCY, Clerk.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT—MAY 25.

Before Judge Nelson.

THE BILLIARD TABLES OUT OF COURT.

Hugh W. Collander vs. J. W. Sharp.—In this action, spoken of yesterday, which is brought to recover damages for alleged infringement of the patent for Phelan's improvement in cushions for billiard tables, the evidence offered by the defendants of the use of what was claimed as Phelan's invention for many years before his patent was issued, was so overpowering that the plaintiff this morning discontinued the action.

For plaintiff, Mr. Keller; for defendant, Mr. Van Cott.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.

The New-York and New-Haven Railroad Co. vs. Robert Schuyler and 323 others.—"The order dissolving the injunctions in the several cases appealed from are reversed, and the injunctions continued, without prejudice to an application to modify or dissolve in part such injunctions at any different stage of the action, on payment of costs.

The orders denying the motions to dissolve the injunctions appealed from are affirmed without prejudice to any future application in a different stage of the action to modify or dissolve in part such injunctions on payment of costs.

The order in the case of defendant Anderson is affirmed, without prejudice to a new application by the plaintiffs in the Court below, on payment of costs."

The Cumberland Coal and Iron Co. vs. The Hoffman Steam Coal Co.—Order dismissing summons and complaint for want of jurisdiction, affirmed without costs. DAVIES, J. dissenting.

The presiding Justice said the Court viewed the case very much in the light of an ejectment suit. The Court had no jurisdiction to try a title to property in Maryland; and, in addition to the difficulty arising from the fact that all the land is in Maryland, is the fact that both the Cumberland Coal Company and the defendants are Maryland corporations. The decision of Justice Sutherland, dismissing the suit entirely, is correct, and should be affirmed.

Joseph Ripley vs. Ætna Insurance Co.—A new trial must be granted, unless the plaintiff waives that portion of the damages found by the jury which is applicable solely to the stock. If that be waived, judgment for the balance should be entered for the plaintiff.

The New-York and New-Haven R. R. vs. Robert Schuyler, &c.—The Court, in this case, decide substantially that plaintiffs have the right to an injunction to restrain the defendants from suing upon the spurious stock, and the injunction is restored.

The New-York and New-Haven Railroad vs. Robert Schuyler et al.—Appeal from order dismissing demurrer put in by some of the defendants. After argument the order was affirmed with costs.

For plaintiff, W. C. Noyes; for defendants, J. E. Burrill and E. S. Van Winkle.

A number of New-Haven Railroad cases were also brought up, but in every case the appeals were dismissed.

CHAMBERS.

Before Justice Allen.

Henry Wood vs. George N. Harrington, alias "George Christy."—The plaintiff obtained a temporary injunction against the defendant, forbidding him to give performances of his Ethiopian Minstrelsy within 100 miles of the City, in pursuance of an agreement between the parties. To-day Ex-Judge Whiting moved to dissolve the injunction, on the ground that the plaintiff's proper remedy was in an action at law for damages. Ex-Judges Dean and Peabody opposed. Decision reserved.

Marceline Lesueur vs. Pierre Lesueur.—Motion granted. Alimony fixed at $6 per week, to be paid during the pendency of the action, or until further order of the Court, and defendent ordered to pay $100 to plaintiff's attorney within thirty days, as term and costs and counsel fees in said action; $25 in addition, in case it shall be found necessary for plaintiff to issue a commission out of the United States.

CIRCUIT.

Before Justice Clerke.

Catharine Bissell vs. Hiram Studley.—This was a suit to recover the value of baggage delivered to the care of Studley's Express by the plaintiff on the 1st of May, 1858. Mrs. and Miss Bissell gave the baggage to one of the express agents on the New Haven Railroad, and requested him to take it to the Hudson River station. The baggage was in some way lost, and plaintiff sues for $300 damages. Both Mrs. and Miss Bissell were placed on the stand and subjected to a severe cross-examination, defendant's counsel inquiring closely into the cost, value, wear and tear, condition, size, weight and appearance of every separate item in the bill. As there were many items of clothing, jewelry, &c., the case took up all the day.

It is undisputed that the baggage was lost. The plaintiff has the express check still in her possession.

SUPERIOR COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

Before Justice Woodruff.

Samuel T. Kissam vs. John S. Roberts.—Case settled.

TRIAL TERM.

Before the Hon. Justice Slosson.

DECISION AS TO THE RIGHTS OF THE SHERIFF.

Erastus D. Thayer vs. James C. Willet, Sheriff, &c.—This was an action of Replevin brought by the plaintiff against the Sheriff to recover certain goods taken by him on attachment against the property of one Perkins, at the suit of W. Rosenthal & Brother, who claimed to be creditors of Perkins. The goods replevied were a portion of the goods transferred by Perkins to Thayer, by bill of sale, executed previously to the issuing and levy of the attachment.

The Sheriff attempted to justify on the ground of fraud in the sale from Perkins to Thayer.

The Court ruled, however, that as W. Rosenthal & Brother were not judgment creditors of Perkins, the defendant had no standing in Court, and could not attach the *bona fides* of the sale from Perkins to Thayer.

The jury rendered a verdict for plaintiff.

E. & E. F. Brown for plaintiff; Brown, Hall & Vanderpoel for Sheriff.

A LOWELL FACTORY GIRL CLAIMING HER ILLEGITIMATE CHILD.—The Salem (Mass) *Gazette* has the following curious story: "The case of ELIZA ANN BAILEY, petitioner, *vs.* ANDREW and JESSIE CONNERS, came before the Essex Supreme Court on the 18th May, on a writ of *habeas corpus*, granted on the petition of the mother for the custody of her minor child, ANNA BAILEY, against the respondents, who claimed the right to her custody under the following circumstances, as disclosed in the petition and answer, or by the evidence at the hearing before the Court: It appeared that the child was illegitimate, and was born in this country, some thirteen years ago, a short time after the arrival of the mother from Ireland, who then was, and still is, an unmarried woman, living here by her labor, principally in manufacturing establishments, and in different places, as she has been able to find employment. She now resides in Lowell, and works in one of the mills of that city. She had family relatives in this country, on her arrival here, from whom the birth of the child was concealed. The child, when about three months old, was put to nurse with Mrs. CONNERS, of Marblehead, one of the respondents, and by her, and her husband, has been nurtured, educated and supported to the present time, and, in all respects, treated as one of their own children, and as a member of their family, precisely like their other children. For some years, in the early part of the time, the mother furnished occasional small supplies, in money or clothing, and in all, as she claimed, some $200 or $300. The respondents acknowledge the receipt of only about one half of this amount, and whatever has been received, except for the first year or two, they regarded as the mother's presents to the child. Some four or five years after the child became an inmate of the family of respondents, Mr. CONNERS gave the mother to understand, that if she wished to reclaim or take her child, she must do it *then*, as they were becoming strongly attached to the child as she was to them. The mother permitted the child to remain as before, and never signified any purpose, design or wish to take her away, until within a year past. She has visited the child from time to time, and was always allowed to see her, until recently, when she threatened to take her away by force. The child has never manifested any fondness for the mother, but on the contrary, strong repugnance, especially since the recent claim of custody. Until within a year, the mother never claimed the control or custody of the child in any manner. The mother is a Roman Catholic, and it appeared from the testimony of some of her own witnesses, as well as from those of the respondents that she had declared the purpose of sending her daughter to some convent, either in this country, or in Canada. She herself testified on the stand, that her purpose was to put her child to the public schools in Lowell, and to take her to her own, or other suitable boarding-house. It appeared that the respondents were respectable and kind people, and abundantly able to provide for the child, as they have done in time past. The child herself was examined as a witness, and testified to her strong and earnest wish to remain with her adopted parents, and her dread of leaving them for any other home. Upon these facts substantially, the learned Judge (Bigelow) ruled that the petitioner was not entitled to the custody of the child, and that the respondents were thus entitled.

The ladies' shoemakers in Philadelphia met in convention a night or two ago, and adopted the following pungent resolution, among others: "That we recommend the unmarried men of the trade to accept the invitation the God of Nature gives them, to seek employment in the invigorating and health-giving atmosphere of the country, thereby giving those who have to stay in a crowded city by necessity, the ability to maintain intact the bill of wages."

There is a new fashion in Texas for importing fine stock. A Galveston paper says: "Seven rams of the well-known breeds of Leicester and Cottswold, have been sent to our State by a well-known gentleman of wealth, of New-York."

THE NEW WAR ON THE KANSAS FRONTIER.—A correspondent of the *St. Louis Democrat*, writing from the Missouri River, May 13, says: We have just been conversing with an intelligent, reliable gentleman from Bates County, the seat of the frontier war. He says General PARSONS is organizing companies by authority of the Governor. He states that last Winter, previous to the disturbances, he was knowing to the formation of the band in Missouri, that went over and attacked MONTGOMERY'S house in the night; that he was opposed to it, and so were all conservative men, as it prevented emigration and improvement along the border. But the excitement was such that they dared not make the true facts known. As was expected, BROWN and MONTGOMERY retaliated upon Missouri. He says the late outrages, for which the thirty thousand is to be expended, hath this history. One from these border bands was traveling a few days since in the Territory with Dr. ——. They stopped at a house, when old SNYDER came up and stopped also. Border-ruffian turned pale, and turning to the Dr. said, "Don't call my name, introduce me as Russell." Old SNYDER looked keenly at him, and said, "We have met before; a private word, if you please." Whiskered bandit drew his revolver, Old SNYDER drew his, and said, "Hand me your pistol; we don't allow such as you to carry pistols." The pistol was given up, and Border gent fled. Such are the outrages and robberies for which the Governor is arming the State.

The Philadelphia *Pennsylvanian* makes the following announcement: "James Ross Snowden, Director of the Mint of the United States is desirous of obtaining for the Cabinet of the Mint, if practicable, one or more copies of every medal, medallet, coin or token on which the head or name of Washington appears. The possessor of any such memorial of Washington is requested to send to the Mint a description of it, and state whether he is willing to present it to the Mint, or dispose of it, either for cash, and if so, at what price, or exchange it for other coins or medals. In the course of a recent investigation, the existence of sixty different memorials of the above character was ascertained, and there are, doubtless, others which have escaped notice.

GENERAL MARKETS.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, May 25, 1859—6 P. M.

The reported receipts of the principal kinds of Produce since our last have been 37 bbls. Ashes, 6,467 bbls. Flour, 325 bbls. Corn Meal, 6,024 bushels Wheat, 17,483 bushels Corn, 1,478 bushels Oats, 1,512 pkgs. Provisions, and 325 bbls. Whisky.

ASHES—Sales have been reported, to-day, of 140 bbls. Pots at $5 50; and 50 bbls. Pearls at $5 75 ₩ 100 lbs. Stock in the Inspection Warehouse, to-day, 1,480 bbls., including 1,505 bbls. Pots, and 175 bbls. Pearls.

BEESWAX—American Yellow, 36c.@38c. ₩ lb.

CANDLES—Are in limited request, at former prices.

COAL—The transactions have been very moderate; prices have not varied.

COFFEE—Sales have been made, to-day, of 2,200 bags Laguayra on private terms; 375 bags Maracaibo at 11½c.@12¼c. and a small lot of Jamaica 11½c. ₩ lb. The stock of Laguayra, in first hands, is 1,450 bags.

COPPER—Has been very lightly dealt in at unaltered prices.

COTTON—Has been purchased, to-day, to the extent of 1,000 bales at our quotations. Middling Upland, 11¾c.@11⅞c.; do. Gulfs, 11¾c.@11⅞c.; and other grades at proportionate rates, ₩ lb. The available supply is estimated at 93,000 bales, against 87,500 bales same time last year.

FEATHERS—Prime Live Geese, 48c.@52c. for Southern, and 54c.@56c. for Western, ₩ lb.

FIRE CRACKERS—Are in lively demand, including No. 1 Canton, 40 packs, $2 20 ₩ box.

FISH—Dry Cod are sparingly inquired for, chiefly at $4 25 ₩ cwt. Mackerel are in limited request, including large No. 1 Mess. at $16 50@$16 75; large No. 2 do. at $16 12½@$16 25; and No. 3 do. at $9 25 @$9 50 ₩ bbl. Pickled Herring are dull and heavy, chiefly at $2 75@$3 75 ₩ bbl. Smoked Herring are quiet at 26c.@28c. for scaled, and 15c.@17c. for No. 1 ₩ box.

FLOUR AND MEAL—State and Western Flour has been quite sparingly sought after to-day, and prices of most kinds, especially low and medium qualities, have again declined 10c.@25c. ₩ bbl. Operators appear to be very anxious to get the news by the *Asia*, and manifest no disposition to move freely, in its absence. Sales have been reported of only 6,500 bbls.

Unsound Flour, ₩ bbl.	$4 00@$5 25
Poor to Superfine good State	5 60@ 6 30
Very good to very choice do	6 50@ 6 75
Extra State	6 95@ 7 30
Poor to choice Superfine Western	5 70@ 6 70
Fancy Western	6 75@ 7 00
Extra Indiana and Michigan	6 90@ 8 50
Very Low to very choice Extra Ohio	7 10@ 8 75
Fancy Genesee	7 30@ 7 50
Extra Genesee	7 80@ 9 50
Low to very choice Extra Missouri	7 80@ 9 75

Southern Flour is in very moderate demand, at drooping prices. Sales have been reported of 1,100 bbls., in lots, at $7 30@$7 80 for superfine brands, and $7 80@$9 50 for low fancy to very choice extra brands, ₩ bbl. Rye Flour sells, in lots, at $4 10 @$5 65 for fine and superfine ₩ bbl. Corn Meal continues very quiet, at $4 15@$4 20 for Jersey; and $4 60 for Brandywine, ₩ bbl.

FOREIGN LIQUORS—Have been less sought after at previous figures.

FRUIT—The demand has been moderate for the principal kinds, including Layer Raisins, at $2 65@$2 70; Bunch do., at $2 35@$2 40 ₩ whole box; Currants, at 5¼c.@6c. for new, and 3c.@4c. for old, ₩ lb.

FURS—Are quite plenty, and freely offered, at reduced prices, yet they are partially neglected by purchasers, at present.

GRAIN—Wheat has been very quiet, parties disagreeing about prices. Sales have been reported of only 10,000 bushels, including choice Red Western (Winter) on private terms; prime white Southern at $2, and choice red do. at $1 85 ₩ bushel. A lot of 95 sacks of fair new white Georgia Wheat, received yesterday by CAMERON & Co., was offered for sale to-day, through Mr. CUTTING, at $2 50 ₩ bushel. This is an unusually early arrival of new Wheat. Corn is inactive and irregular. Sales have been confined to 8,500 bushels at 90c.@92c. for poor to good round yellow; 91c.@92c. (nominally) for ordinary to fair mixed Western, ₩ bushel. Rye and Barley are dull. Oats are selling slowly, including Canada, 58c.@59c.; Western, 57c.@58c.; State, 54c.@56c.; Jersey and Pennsylvania, 51c.@54c.; Southern, 48c.@53c. ₩ bushel.

GUNNY BAGS AND BAGGING—Sales in Boston, 264 bales Bags at 11¾c.@12¼c., each; and 700 bales Bagging chiefly at 12c.@12¼c. ₩ yard.

HAY—Sales to-day 1,200 bales North River at 70c. @75c. for shipment, and 80c.@87½c. for local use, ₩ 100 lbs.

HEMP—Has been very quiet at previous quotations. Manila, which has been in most favor, is quoted at 7c. ₩ lb.

HIDES—Have been in moderate demand, and have been stiffly held.

HOPS—The demand is restricted to-day, at former rates. Crop of 1858, 8c.@13c.; Old, 3½c.@5½c. ₩ lb.

IRON—Scotch Pig has been in demand, mainly at $23@$24 ₩ ton, usual terms. Other kinds rule quiet, though quoted unaltered.

LATHS—Eastern, $1 37½@1 37½ ₩ M.

LEAD—Foreign Pig is inquired for, chiefly at $5 50 @$5 70 ₩ 100 lbs. Other kinds are quiet and nominal.

LEATHER—Sole is actively sought after, at full prices.

LIME—Rockland, 65c. for Common, and 75c. for Lump, ₩ bbl.

MOLASSES—Sales, to-day, 100 hhds. Cuba Muscovado, at 32c.@33c.; and 300 bbls. do. do., at 34c. ₩ gallon.

NAVAL STORES—Tar and Crude Turpentine are unaltered. Sales have been reported of 300 bbls. Spirits Turpentine, at 52c.@54c. ₩ gallon, and a lot of Common Resin, to arrive, at $1 70 ₩ 310 lbs.

OILS—Have been less active to day; prices, however, have not varied. In New-Bedford, during the week ending May 23, sales were made of 1,000 bbls. Crude Sperm, at $1 35@$1 40; and 9,130 bbls. Crude Whale, chiefly at 45c.@50c., ₩ gallon.

Imports of Sperm and Whale Oil and Whalebone into the United States:

	Bbls Sp.	Bbls. Wh.	Lbs. Bone
From Jan. 1 to May 23, '59	21,325	116,238	1,550,000
Same time last year	23,599	100,578	1,195,400

PROVISIONS—Pork has been rather lightly dealt in to-day, sales having been reported of only 1,200 bbls., in lots, at $17 45@$17 50 for new Mess; $17 75 for thin Mess; $18 25@$19 50 for prime Mess; $19 75 for Clear; $15 50@$15 65 for Prime; $15 50 for Butts; and $15@$15 25 for Rumps, ₩ bbl. Cut Meats continue depressed, including Hams at 8½c.@9½c., and Shoulders at 7c.@7¾c. ₩ lb. Bacon is in moderate demand, chiefly at 9c.@11¼c. ₩ lb. Lard has not varied. Sales, to-day 500 tcs. and bbls., in lots, at 11¾c. @12¼c. ₩ lb. Beef is in request at former rates. Sales 500 bbls., in lots, at $11@$15 for repacked Western Mess; $15@$17 for fair to choice extra do.; $8 50@$9 75 for Country Mess, and $6 50@$7 50 for do. Prime, ₩ bbl. Prime Mess Beef, $22@$30 ₩ tc; Beef Hams, $14 50@$17 25 ₩ bbl. Butter is in demand at 17c.@21c. for New State; 10c.@16c. for Old State; 16c.@20c. for New Ohio; and 8c.@12c. for Old Ohio, ₩ lb. New Cheese is in moderate demand, mainly at from 5c.@10c. ₩ lb.

RICE—Sales have been reported to-day of 150 tcs., in lots, at $4 37½@$5 12½ ₩ 100 lbs.

SALT—Liverpool has been received and sold quite freely, including fine at $1 25@$1 50, and ground at about 77½c.@80c. ₩ sack. Other kinds have been lightly dealt in.

SALTPETRE—Crude is quoted at 11c.@11½c. ₩ lb., with a very limited inquiry at present.

SEEDS—All descriptions are inactive, at previous rates.

SOAP—Sales 400 boxes Castile at 9¼c.@9½c. ₩ lb.

SPICES—Attract very little attention, yet prices are essentially unaltered.

SUGARS—Have been in fair demand, to-day, at rather easier prices, and sales have been reported of 475 hhds. Cuba, at 5½c.@6½c.; 126 hhds. New-Orleans, at 6c.@7¼c.; 100 hhds. Texas, on private terms, and 125 hhds. Porto Rico, part at 6¼c. ₩ lb.

TEAS—The public sale to-day was spiritless, and the prices realized were unsatisfactory. Hence, holders withdrew several lots. Those sold included: Hyson, 32c.@43½c.; Young Hyson, 26c.@46½c.; Gunpowder, 32c.@51½c.; Imperial, 29c.@50½c.; Hyson Twankay, 23c.@30c.; Oolong, 36c.@40½c.; and Souchong, 32c.@42½c., ₩ lb. Privately, the current movements are restricted, though prices are sustained.

TIN—Has been in slack request at drooping prices.

WHISKY—Has been in very moderate demand at 27½c.@28c., chiefly at 28c. ₩ gallon.

FREIGHTS—For Liverpool, there were taken 500 bales Cotton, at 5 32d. ₩ lb.; 400 bbls. Resin, at 1s. 3d.; 100 bbls. Spirits Turpentine, at 4s.; 200 bbls. Pork, at 1s. 6d.; 10,000 Staves, at 20s.; 10 tons Tallow, at 10s.; also, by steamer, 5 tons Butter, and 200 bxs. Cheese, at 30s. For London, an engagement of Crude Turpentine had been effected, but was subsequently cancelled. For Glasgow, there were engaged 5,000 Staves on private terms. For Havre, 5,000 Staves, at $20. For Hamburg, 5,000 Staves, at $15. The latest charters, according to the *Shipping List*, have been: Ship *Oregon*, 649 tons, from Mobile to Liverpool, Cotton, at 11-32d.; clipper ship *West Wind*, 1,071 tons to San Francisco, $22,000; two Br. brigs, 230 and 260 tons, from Richibucto to London or Hull, £4 2s. 6d.; a schooner, 147 tons, to West Indies and back, $1,100; one, 150 tons, to Jacmel and back, $1,300; a brig, 195 tons, to south side Cuba and back, $1,650; a Br. schooner, 140 tons, from Sidney, C. B., to north side Cuba and back, to United States, Sugar, 40c.; a Br. brig, 190 tons, from Norfolk to a Windward West India Island, Hogshead Staves, $11; a brig, *Woppeo*, 243 tons, to Cardenas and back, Sugar 45c. and Molasses $3, port charges not paid; a Br. brig from Turks Islands to New-York, Salt, 9c.; a Norwegian brig from Philadelphia to Barcelona; a brig, 200 tons, to coast of Africa and back; a brig, 250 tons, to north side Cuba and back, and a schooner, 150 tons, from a Northern port to Jamaica and back to New-York, on terms not made public.

WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, May 25, 1859.

Commission Sales of Produce for the week ending May 25, 1859, prepared for THE NEW-YORK TIMES by PINNEY & JOHNSON, Produce Commission Merchants, No. 231 Fulton-street. Our quotations are such as merchants and producers *realize who ship their Produce to this market to be sold* on commission.

BUTTER.

The receipts have been good, and fully equal to the demand, without any material change in prices since our last report. Sales are easily effected at our figures. We quote:

Orange County pails, ₩ lb.	19	@	22
Fine half firkins, yellow, ₩ lb.	20	@	21
Fair half firkins, light color, ₩ lb.	16	@	19
Fine State, dairy, firkins, ₩ lb.	21	@	22
Welsh, tubs, ₩ lb.	17	@	20
Ohio, Western Reserve, ₩ lb.	17	@	20
Ohio, ordinary, ₩ lb.	15	@	17
Illinois and Wisconsin, ₩ lb.	17	@	20
Store Packed Butter, ₩ lb.	15	@	18

CHEESE.

But little fine Old Cheese offering. New is in fair supply and good demand at our quotations. We quote:

Old Cheese, fine, ₩ lb.	11	@	12
Old Cheese, fair, ₩ lb.	4	@	7
New Cheese, fine, ₩ lb.	9	@	10
New Cheese, fair, ₩ lb.	4	@	7
English Dairy, ₩ lb.	11	@	12
Pineapple, ₩ lb.	12	@	14

EGGS

Though the receipts have not been unusually heavy, yet dealers generally complain of the small demand for consumption, and prices have drooped until to-day they are offered at 13½c. to 14½c. ₩ dozen for New-York, Ohio, Philadelphia and Jersey.

FRUITS.

Dried Apples are salable at our figures. Green fruits from the South are taking the place of dried fruits.

Strawberries from Delaware in boxes of 2 quarts each are selling at 25c. to 30c. Jersey Strawberries begin to appear; some 300 to 400 baskets in market to-day.

We quote:

Dried Apples, State, ₩ lb.	9	@	9¼
Dried Apples, Southern, do., ₩ lb.	8	@	8½
Dried Peaches, Southern, peeled, ₩ lb.	10	@	14
Dried Peaches, Southern, unpeeled.	7	@	9
Dried Raspberries, ₩ lb.	17	@	18
Dried Blackberries, ₩ lb.	10	@	12
Dried Plums, ₩ lb.	—	@	25
Dried Cherries, ₩ lb.	15	@	20

BEANS AND PEAS.

The speculative feeling in Beans having subsided prices have declined at least 25c. ₩ bushel for medium. The market is well supplied, with plenty of sellers and no buyers. Peas are unchanged. We quote:

BEANS.

Small Pea, ₩ bushel	$1 25	@$	—
Medium, ₩ bushel	1 00	@ 1	10
Kidney, ₩ bushel	1 75	@ 1	87½
Marrow, ₩ bushel	1 50	@ 1	62½
Red, ₩ bushel	1 75	@ 2	00
China, ₩ bushel	1 62½	@ 1	75

PEAS.

Canada, ₩ bushel	1 00	@$	—
Black-eyed, ₩ bushel	1 50	@ 1	55
Marrowfat, white, ₩ bushel	1 37½	@ 1	50
Marrowfat, green, ₩ bushel	1 75	@ 2	00

POULTRY AND GAME

We quote:

POULTRY.

Turkeys, ₩ lb.	13	@	14
Chickens, ₩ lb.	13	@	15
Ducks, ₩ lb., tame	14	@	18
Geese, ₩ lb., good	12½	@	14
Spring Chickens, ₩ pair	75	@ 1	00

LIVE POULTRY.

Fowls, ₩ pair	62½	@ 1	00
Ducks, ₩ pair	75	@ 1	00
Turkeys, ₩ lb.	—	@	10
Spring Chickens, ₩ pair	50	@	75
Wild Pigeons, per doz	—	@ 2	00

GAME.

Black Ducks, ₩ pair	—	@	75
Broad bills, ₩ pair	62½	@	75
Wild Pigeons, ₩ dozen	1 75	@ 2	00
Squab Pigeons, ₩ dozen	2 00	@ 2	25

MEATS.

Dressed Hogs, Country, ₩ lb.	8¼	@	8¾
Beef carcase, ₩ lb.	8	@	11
Mutton carcases, ₩ lb.	6	@	9
Veal calves, live weight	4½	@	6¾
Veal carcases, ₩ lb.	5	@	8
Spring Lambs, each	2 00	@ 5	00

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes are without material change, except that Mercers have advanced and Pink eyes doing better. Sweet Potatoes are out of market, the only kind being West India Yams, at $2 50 ₩ bbl. Charleston Yams do not pay transportation, selling at $1 ₩ bbl. Onions from Bermuda sell at 4c.@5c. ₩ lb. Tomatoes from the same place at 8s.@10s. ₩ box.

We quote:

Potatoes—West India Yams, ₩ bbl.	2 50	@	— —
Potatoes—Bermuda, ₩ bbl.	3 50	@ 5	00
Potatoes—Pink Eyes, ₩ bbl.	1 25	@ 1	50
Potatoes—Mercers, ₩ bbl.	2 00	@ 2	50
Potatoes—Dykemans, ₩ bbl.	1 50	@ 1	75
Potatoes—Peachblows, ₩ bbl.	2 25	@ 2	75
Potatoes—Western Reds, ₩ bbl.	1 00	@	—
Potatoes—Junes, ₩ bbl.	87½	@ 1	00
Potatoes—Jersey Whites, ₩ bbl.	—	@	87½
Ruta Baga Turnips, ₩ bbl.	1 00	@ 1	25
Beets, ₩ bbl.	1 00	@ 1	25
Carrots, ₩ bbl.	1 00	@ 1	25
Green Peas—Southern, ₩ bbl.	3 50	@ 4	00
String Beans—Southern, ₩ bbl.	—	@ 4	00
Spinach, ₩ bbl.	62½	@	75
Asparagus, ₩ 100 bunches	—	@12	00
Radishes, ₩ 100 bunches	—	@	75
Rhubarb, ₩ doz. bunches	—	@ 1	00
Leeks, ₩ doz. bunches	—	@	75
Green Onions, ₩ doz. bunches	—	@	75
Parsley, ₩ doz. bunches	—	@	25

BEESWAX.

There is but little demand for shipment at present. Sales are effected at 35c.@38c. ₩ lb.

FEATHERS

Are heavy. We quote:

Live Geese, Western, ₩ lb.	50	@	60
Live Geese, Tennessee, ₩ lb.	45	@	50

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WANTED—BY AN INDUSTRIOUS AND WILling Protestant young man, a situation; he is a good coachman and groom; understands the care and management of horses well; is also a good vegetable gardener and farmer; has the best of reference from his employer; no objection to any part of the country. Call at No. 275 Bowery.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS WAITER IN A small family by a respectable French Protestant man; has good City references for capacity, sobriety and honesty; will make himself generally useful; no objection to the country. Address H. L., at Mr. H. Kerr's, No. 746 Broadway, corner of Astor-place, for two days.

WANTED—BY A GROOM AND COACHMAN who understands his business thoroughly, a situation; would prefer the country, but is acquainted in the City. Any gentleman wanting a faithful man is invited to inquire for LAWRENCE, at No. 45 Fulton st., office of his last employer, for three days.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN, IN the country, with a private family, by a respectable young man; has no objection to assist in gardening and making himself generally useful; has two years' reference from his late employer. Address J. C., Box No. 207 *Times* Office.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE YOUNG MAN, a situation in the country as coachman and gardener; is willing to make himself generally useful to his employer; understands his business perfectly as best of reference can show. Call at No. 207 Hudson-st., basement, for four days.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG ENGLISHMAN, WITH eight years' reference from his last employer in this City, a situation as porter or under-gardener. Is a young man of steady habits and of the most respectable appearance, and would value a steady situation more than high wages. Apply at No. 414 Broadway, up stairs.

WANTED—A SITUATION, AS WAITER, BY A steady Protestant young man in a small, private family; wages not so much an object as a good, steady place; no objection to the country; can give the best of City reference from his last employer. Call at No. 756 Broadway, or address R. M., Box No. 194 *Times* Office.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTABLE man as waiter, in a private family; understands his business perfectly, and can give satisfactory City reference; is a Protestant and a single man; has no objection to the country. Can be seen for three days at No. 836 Broadway. Address M. G.

WANTED—BY AN ENGLISH YOUNG MAN A situation as coachman; he understands the care of horses, carriages and harness in all its branches; has no objection to go to the country for the Summer. Good City reference from his last employer. Call or address harness store, No. 79 Bleecker-st.

WANTED—BY A SINGLE MAN, TWENTY-EIGHT years of age, a situation as coachman; understands the management and care of horses; will also assist in the care of garden, lawn, &c. Will endeavor to make himself generally useful, and suit his employer. Best of reference given. Address J. C., Box No. 196 *Times* Office.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN, A SITUATION in some respectable family as waiter; would have no objection to go in the country for the Summer, or in a genteel boarding house in the City; good reference from his last place. Address THOMAS MURPHY, Box No. 202 *Times* Office.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN RECENTLY ARrived from England, a situation as groom and coachman; understands thoroughly the care and management of horses; no objections to go to the country; has the best of references. Address JOHN BURNS, care of Jas. H. Conner, No. 115 Franklin-st., New-York.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN BY A respectable man who understands his business, and is willing to make himself useful; has the best of City reference from his last place, where he has lived two years. Can be seen for two days at No. 389 9th-av., near 34th-st.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTESTANT man a situation as coachman with a private family, who understands the care of horses in all its branches. He can give the best of City reference; has no objection to the country. Can be seen for three days at No. 840 Broadway at Chas. Waters' harness store. Ask for S. S.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN OR gardener; is an excellent man in either capacity; has the best of reference; no objection to the country; to save trouble none need apply but those wishing to give good wages. Call, for two days, at No. 50 4th-av., in the harness store.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN 18 YEARS OF age, a situation as clerk in a merchant's office; he can write and speak French correctly, and has some knowledge of book-keeping. Furnishes excellent reference. Address T. H. G., No. 153 Nassau-st., Brooklyn.

WANTED—A WAITER'S SITUATION IN A PRIvate family, by a young man who thoroughly understands his business, and has first class reference. No objection to any part of the country. Address P. F. L., Box No. 194 *Times* Office, for two days.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN 20 YEARS OF age, a situation as bar-keeper or to work in a butcher's shop or grocer's store. Best of City reference given, if required. Inquire at No. 137 Worth-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS WAITER, BY A man of experience; can give satisfactory references; can be seen or addressed. JAMES N. BROADWAY, No. 811 Broadway.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS BOOK-KEEPER, IN some wholesale house in this City, or as a traveling agent for some firm doing a large business. Address S. H. CLARKE, No. 5 Essex st., New-York.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS GARDENER BY A respectable young man; can take care of horses, and drive, if required. Can give good reference. Address E. H., Box No. 198 *Times* Office.

WANTED—BY A BOY, A SITUATION TO RUB in for a grainer. Can rub and comb up well. Apply at No. 196 West 27th-st., between 8th and 9th avs.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A YOUNG MAN AS coachman; has good reference from his last place. Address THOMAS, Box No. 205 *Times* Office.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

MALES.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN BY A respectable young man, who perfectly understands the care and treatment of horses in all its various branches, and is a most competent groom as well as driver; is of a most obliging disposition; has the best of City references from gentlemen in this City. A note to M. D., Box No. 200 *Times* Office, will be promptly attended to.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN AND groom, by a respectable single Protestant young man; understands the care and management of horses; is a careful driver, and a good waiter, if required; has no objection to the country; has the best City reference. Can be seen for two days at No. 124 4th-av., near 12th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN BY a respectable Scotchman, who has had long experience in the care and management of horses, and can produce the best of recommendation as to honesty, sobriety, and carefulness. Address H. R., *Daily Press*, Poughkeepsie.

WANTED—BY A SINGLE MAN, TWENTY-EIGHT years of age, a situation as coachman; understands the management and care of horses; will also assist in the care of garden, lawn, &c. Will endeavor to make himself generally useful, and suit his employer. Best of reference given. Address J. C., Box No. 196 *Times* Office.

WANTED—ANY FAMILY ABOUT LEAVING the city during the Summer months, and wishing their house to be taken care of, can find a young married man and his wife, who can produce the best City references. Apply to J. M. N., at the grocery store of H. A. Kerr, No. 746 Broadway, corner of Astor-place.

WANTED—A HOUSE TO TAKE CARE OF DURing the Summer, by a Protestant man and wife, without family. Best of reference given. Address for two days, stating where an interview may be had, F. A. M., Box No. 207 *Times* Office.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTESTANT single man, a situation as coachman and gardener; understands milking cows, taking care of poultry, and will make himself generally useful about a gentleman's place; has good reference. Can be seen for two days by addressing F. C., No. 124 4th-av., near 12th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS GROOM AND coachman by a single young man, who perfectly understands his business; has no objection to City or country; is willing to be useful to his employer. Address COACHMAN, Box No. 216 *Times* Office, for three days.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A YOUNG MAN to work in a garden; understands the care of horses, is a good driver, and would make himself useful; no objections to assist to work on a farm. Address W., Box No. 180 *Times* Office.

WANTED—A SITUATION, AS WAITER, IN A private family, by a young man, who perfectly understands his business in all its branches; has the very best of City references. Address P. F. L., Box No. 194 *Times* Office.

WANTED—BY A STEADY AND INDUSTRIOUS young man a situation; he is a first-rate waiter or bar-keeper; is also a good coachman and groom; is willing to work, and to make himself useful in any capacity; has the best of reference. Call at No. 275 Bowery.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS WAITER BY A respectable and thoroughly competent man; has the best of City reference from his last place. Can be seen until engaged at No. 67 University-place, Society Library, near 13th st.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN OF GOOD BUSIness experience, and a good double entry bookkeeper, a situation. Can refer to his present employers. Address R. C. M., Box No. 162 *Times* Office.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED.—A STEADY YOUNG WOMAN, PROTestant preferred, (either German or English,) who understands perfectly dressmaking; is a neat, plain sewer, and capable of doing up fine muslins; one who is willing to wait on an invalid lady, who is kind and obliging in her disposition, and will faithfully devote herself to the interests of her employer, (none other need apply,) may hear of a good situation by calling at No. 63 West Warren-st., South Brooklyn, near Henry, between 12 and 3 o'clock.

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WANTED—IN A NEWSPAPER OFFICE, A BOY who writes rapidly and legibly, and can furnish undoubted references as to character. Apply at the NEW-YORK CHRONICLE Office, room No. 2, No. 41 Park-row, between 4 and 6 o'clock in the afternoon.

WANTED—A NEAT, RESPECTABLE GIRL, AS plain cook, washer and ironer; also, a nice girl to do chamber-work, waiting, and to assist in washing and ironing. Apply at No. 200 West 18th-st., after 9 o'clock in the morning. Protestant preferred.

WANTED—A NUMBER OF GOOD VEST HANDS, and three or four girls to baste and finish after a machine; also two or three girls taken to learn; vests given out by the piece to finish. Call all the week at No. 62 Bowery, corner Canal-st., second floor, fourth room.

WANTED—BY AN IMPORTING AND JOBBING house, a porter; one that is fully competent and can give good City reference. None other need apply. Address J. H., Box No. 167 *Times* Office.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED NURSE—ONE who has been accustomed to the care of an infant; must have good City references. Apply at No. 146 2d av., between 9 and 2 o'clock, this day.

WANTED—A HOUSEKEEPER, (NOT MATRON,) for a boarding school. The compensation will be liberal to a capable woman. Address M. P., Box No. 68 Sing Sing.

WANTED—AT NO. 7 EAST 31ST.-ST., A COOK to assist with the washing and ironing. Apply between the hours of 9 and 12 on Friday.

WANTED—A GOOD COOK TO GO A SHORT DIStance in the country. Inquire at No. 26 West 43d-st.

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MR. G. VANDENHOFF, No. 9 East 18th-st., 5th-av. ELOCUTION.

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EDUCATIONAL.—WANTED A SITUATION AS tutor or teacher, by a gentleman competent to instruct in the higher English branches, the classics, and French; is a college graduate and Church member; no objections to traveling or going South; references unexceptionable. Address, stating full particulars, TUTOR, Box No. 155 *Times* Office.

WANTED—A GENTLEMAN TO TEACH IN THE country forty miles distant from the City, two boys, eight and ten years old, the rudiments of an English education; best of references required. Address, with particulars as to qualifications, &c., C. V., Box No. 158 *Times* Office.

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A LADY COMPETENT TO TEACH ENGLISH, French and music, wishes for a situation as governess in a family in the country; can furnish good references. Address S. A. P., Box No. 162 *Times* Office.

LECTURES.

A NOVEL LECTURE.—THE NATIVE SYRIAN, Dr. G. A. WORTABET, will lecture on *Syria and the Holy Land*, (appearing in the costume of the country,) on WEDNESDAY EVENING, May 25, 1859, at 8 o'clock, in the Calvary Baptist Church, West 23d-st., between 5th and 6th avs. Tickets of admission, 10 cents each. A deeply interesting and amusing lecture may be relied upon.

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The Overland Mail for California leaves St. Louis every Monday and Thursday, at 8 A. M. Letters designed for it should be marked "Overland, *via* St. Louis."

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Ocean Mails.

The European Mails by the steamship *Arago*, hence for Southampton, will close at the New-York Post-office on Saturday, May 28, at 10½ o'clock.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The Royal Mail steamship *Persia*, Captain JUDKINS, left yesterday for Liverpool, carrying out two hundred and thirty-five passengers, and more than three millions of dollars in specie. This is the largest amount by nearly a million of dollars that has ever been carried out by one vessel from this port.

The first Convention of life-underwriters commenced its session in this City yesterday at the Astor House. It is composed of regularly appointed delegates from the various Life Insurance offices in the United States and Canada, and of others engaged in the business of life insurance. The object of the Convention is to adopt measures for procuring insurance statistics, and a combined experience table constructed from the actual records of the various Life Insurance offices doing business in this country, instead of depending, as heretofore, upon the English tables. Other incidental objects are to be secured by the Convention.

The Panama Railroad Company's new steamship *Guatemala* made a final trial trip on Tuesday, going as far as Cape May, and returning yesterday afternoon. There were some seventy-five guests on board, who were sumptuously entertained, and who expressed unbounded satisfaction with the ship, the engines, the company, the luxuries provided, and everything relating to the trip.

The presentation of a testimonial by the New-York Chess Club, to PAUL MORPHY, took place last evening in the large Hall of the University. The audience in attendance was numerous and brilliant, the room being crowded in every part. Colonel C. D. MEAD, President of the Club, introduced the ceremonies with a few words. JOHN VAN BUREN, Esq., followed, presenting the chess-board and men to Mr. MORPHY. Mr. M. made a brief and exceedingly appropriate response. W. J. A. FULLER, Esq., on behalf the Testimonial Committee, presented the American watch, and after a few words from Mr. MORPHY, the assemblage dispersed. Much enthusiasm was displayed, and the affair passed off with great *éclat*. Mr. MORPHY leaves for Boston to-morrow evening, where another ovation awaits him.

The Annual Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church of New-Jersey met, yesterday morning, in St. Mary's Church, Burlington. After the usual religious services, the Convention was called to order by the Rev. W. C. DOANE, Secretary of the last Convention. The roll of the Clergy was called, and a quorum found to be present. The Rev. J. A. WILLIAMS was elected President, and the Rev. W. C. DOANE Secretary, and the Rev. P. K. CADY Assistant Secretary. In the afternoon session, the prominent feature was a resolution making the election of a Bishop the order of the day for 1 o'clock to-morrow. The Rev. Dr. MAHAN, of New-York, and the Rev. Dr. ODENHEIMER, of Philadelphia, are prominent candidates. Dr. MAHAN will probably be elected by the Clergy on the first ballot, after which the lay delegates will vote.

At the meeting of the Commissioners of Emigration yesterday, a bill of the New-Haven Arms Company, amounting to $1,150, for arms furnished the authorities during the quarantine riots, was received and referred to Mr. KENNEDY. SAMUEL L. POST sent in a proposal to sell the Commissioners three lots on Ward's Island, which the Board claim they have already purchased. 3,480 immigrants arrived during the week, making a total for the year of 2,489. The overdraft amounts to $3,084 88.

CHARLES P. COCKRAN, who was employed as book-keeper in the wholesale store of BUCKLEY & Co., No. 7 College-place, was found yesterday morning dead in his bed at his boarding-house in Amity-place, under circumstances inducing the belief that his death was caused by violence at the hands of some rowdies the evening previous. He came home at a late hour, having his eyes blackened and face covered with bruises, but declined to give any explanation as to his appearance. An inquest was held on the body, but nothing was elicited throwing any light upon the matter.

Mr. WEBB has given notice that the Russian frigate *General Admiral* is no longer open for public visits after 12 o'clock M.

The sales of Cotton yesterday comprised 1,000 bales at steady prices. Breadstuffs were lightly dealt in. Flour was 15c.@25c. ℔ bbl. cheaper. Some new White Georgia Wheat was offered at $2 50 ℔ bushel. Provisions were in moderate demand. Pork and Cut Meats were heavy. The movements in Groceries, Naval Stores, Oils, Fish, Hides, Hops and Seeds were restricted. The Freight engagements were less extensive. The total number of vessels of all classes in port was 629.

At the Live Stock yards the receipts of beef cattle for yesterday's General Market were only 2,694 head, against 3,738 the previous week, and a weekly average of 3,676 during all of last year. The deficiency in numbers was in part made up by the decided superior quality and weight, nearly all this week's supply being fat, heavy bullocks. The yards have on very few, if on any, previous days, been so free from animals of the scalawag order. The preliminary sales on Tuesday were large, and both then and yesterday the average prices were about ½c. ℔ lb. higher than last week, for the same grades, while the general good quality carried the average of all sales up about ¾c. ℔ lb. on the estimated dressed weight.... Milch cows are in supply above the requirements of the market, and are lower; receipts for the week 228.... Of veal calves, 1,199 have come in this week, which is more than has been sold, as the large stock of last week held over; prices, 4c.@6½c. ℔ lb. live weight.... Sheep and lambs arrive more freely, and sell lower; receipts for week 5,691; prices, 5c.@6½c. ℔ lb., live weight—Stock mostly sheared.... Swine, receipts for week 4,402; prices, 6⅞c.@7c. for corn-fed, 6½ for still-fed—demand fair.

WHAT THE SOUTH WANTS.—The Mobile *Register* entertains the opinion that "what the South wants is a great paper to give utterance to its side of the world-dispute about its institutions." We doubt very much whether the South wants anything of the kind, for if it did why should not the South have it? The South is all of a mind in relation to its institutions, and needs no information nor instruction on the subject; and to the rest of the world a great Southern newspaper would be of very little service. The *Register* is firmly convinced, however, that such a paper with two hundred thousand Southern subscribers "would be a more potent engine of Southern welfare in the battle for her political rights and her moral *status* before the great tribunal of the civilized and Christian opinion of the world, than whole panels of grand juries and fiery Southern members in Congress." We entirely concur in this opinion, at least as far as we can comprehend it, and are very glad to see so just an appreciation expressed in a Southern journal, of the influence of fiery Southern Congressmen. The *Register* concludes its remarks by the rather startling announcement that it is itself "seriously pondering a great scheme in this connection." *Ponder*, in the French tongue, means to drop an egg, and we shall wait with anxiety for the hatching of the *Register's* brood.

Financial Breakers.

We have steadily insisted, in opposition to the views of early alarmists, that this country could not seriously suffer in its material interests from the pending war in Europe. We remain of that opinion, provided the war be confined nearly within its present limits. If England, Russia and Prussia remain neutral,—and France and Austria are thus left to fight it out by themselves, we see no way in which the commercial or financial interests of the United States can be very seriously embarrassed by its operations. The notion started by a cotemporary that we are likely to be in the least disturbed by the revival of the Right of Search pretensions is simply ridiculous. The right of search, as now defined and admitted, is a belligerent right, and can only be exercised upon vessels suspected of violating the obligations of neutrality by carrying goods contraband of war. If American vessels enter upon such illegal enterprises, they do it at their peril,—and have not the shadow of claim upon our Government for reclamation or interference. If England should be drawn into the war, we should unquestionably suffer seriously from its progress; and there is undoubtedly sufficient possibility, though there is no immediate prospect of such an issue, to justify caution and prudence in the adjustment of our business affairs.

And even setting aside these extraordinary contingencies, it is evident that the prospect of our immediate financial future is not wholly free from clouds. The enormous shipments of specie with which the season has opened, and which we can only hope will not be continued, force themselves upon the attention of men who consult facts rather than their own wishes. The *Persia* yesterday took out over $3,000,000, the largest amount of specie which ever left this port in a single ship,—and that, too, after $8,451,000 had already been dispatched during the present month. We have still this week the *Arago*, the *Vigo* and the *Weser*,—and the three will probably take very nearly if not quite as much as the *Persia*. This will give a shipment of over *fourteen and a-half millions* in a single month. We may reasonably hope that this very heavy rate of depletion will not be continued through the Summer; but in view of the large imports of the year thus far, it will not be safe to assume that we shall send less than eight or ten millions a month for the next three months. This cannot fail to make itself very seriously felt upon the Banks, and through them upon general business. A return current may possibly set in, but this is too remote a chance to serve as a basis for financial action. It is not felt just at the present moment, because it comes upon us at the dull season of the year, when there is but little demand for money for business purposes. But dull as it is, the Banks are already expanded to twice the amount of their capital,—and if, under any sudden alarm, the Banks were to adopt precautions against these excessive shipments, it would undoubtedly create a very decided stringency in the money market even now. By-and-by, however,—in August and September, the Southern and Western deposits will be required to move the crop, and they will no longer be available for the support of our money market, and something very much like a crisis may then occur.

Whether these inconveniences actually happen or not, it can do no harm to look upon them as probable, and to shape business arrangements to meet them. There is never any danger of an excess of caution in our business community—our tendencies are all the other way. There is something treacherous in prosperity—something which always involves a lack of prudence, and leads to excess of confidence in the future. It is not at all likely, therefore, that any steps will be taken, either by the Banks or the business community, to ward off approaching dangers by a gradual and prudent curtailment of the operations which create them.

The safe directions of investment will be disregarded for the dazzling uncertainties of fresh and untried speculation. Instead of building up interests already established, we shall see men looking everywhere for unheard-of opportunities. Our banks will continue their expansion; the future will still be discounted by audacious adventurers; nothing will be seen or heeded that warns or has warned us to "stand on the old ways." And so, if our new career ends one fine day in a new crash, the world of business men will be utterly astounded. This imaginative refusal to look at facts, and obstinate devotion to fancies, is and always has been a characteristic of our business world. It is the natural element of panics, and shocks that would stir another community at its anchors will always have power to send us drifting to the abyss, so long as this characteristic belongs to us.

THE CHANGES OF THE YEAR.—It was just a year day before yesterday since a torch-light procession and various other kinds of commemorative demonstrations were made in honor of the lamented memory of PIERRI and ORSINI, by the Red Republican refugees of various nations in this City. The assassination of the French Emperor was then declared by them all to be the greatest service which any devoted enthusiast could render to suffering humanity. The King of Sardinia was hardly held in better odor amongst them than his ally, and they were all bent on making us believe that their friends at home detested princes, and held royalty in all its forms in as much execration as themselves. MAZZINI, they assured us, reigned in the hearts of all true Italians, and VICTOR EMANUEL and LOUIS NAPOLEON were "tainted wethers of the flock," over whose heads the national dagger was duly raised, in constant act to strike.

As if to prove how easily vigorous eloquence may be wasted and how lightly lager-bier may be consumed in vain, one short year has either turned the tables or revealed the truth. If ORSINI had waited a year, he might have spared his bombs and saved his head, and the Red Republican lager-bier of the 23d of May, 1858, would have descended less uproarious throats. The change which has come over the spirit of the dream, is marvelous. We find MAZZINI, who was then, we were told, the only hope of Italy, consigned to utter obscurity. VICTOR EMANUEL has been converted into a demigod, and LOUIS NAPOLEON is fighting the battles of the country which he was then to be butchered in order to deliver. There never was a more striking instance of the uncertainty of human affairs, and of the fallibility of popular oratory. The gentlemen who figured in the demonstration to which we have referred, may, however, still keep their courage up. Their occupation is not wholly gone. Italy will probably be tolerated, but the democratic and social republic in which every man, lazy or busy, will earn as much as every other man, and every laborer ride, on FOURIER'S plan, to his daily work in a one-horse cab, will probably not be at once established over the whole earth. The idle and good-for-nothing will still continue to labor under financial difficulties, and the propriety of having them maintained by the earnings of other people will furnish for many a long day to come a fertile theme for the philosophic harangues of socialistic philanthropists. Neither CAVOUR, VICTOR EMANUEL nor LOUIS NAPOLEON is likely to be of much use to the heroes of this sort of reform, and lager-bier may still flow in oceans to their honor.

A Slippery Candidate.

The Yankees are quite mistaken in imagining, as they are rather fond of doing, that new inventions are monopolized by New-England. Virginia takes the field as a competitor. She means henceforth to bring forth, not only Presidents, but patents. The Richmond *Whig* informs us that Mr. ROBERT A. MAYO, of Henrico, a Democratic candidate for the House of Delegates, has resorted to a very ingenious contrivance of his own to save himself in the election which takes place in Virginia to-day. It appears that he has reason to suspect some of his Democratic brethren of an intention to vote scratched tickets to his detriment and possible defeat. In order to thwart this nefarious design, he has caused all the ballots printed for the use of his party to be *greased*, thus rendering it once impossible to either efface his own name or insert that of the opposing candidate. A very good idea, and creditable to Mr. MAYO'S ingenuity. We have seen not a few artifices with the like object, but none to equal this. The Chivalry may claim the prize of cuteness from Connecticut.

It pains us, however, to observe that the Richmond *Whig* loses its temper about the matter. This is wrong, undignified, unpatriotic. If grease will save Mr. MAYO, why should he not use grease? The *Whig* styles it "a miserable device to defraud the voters of Henrico." Nonsense! "This man MAYO," it goes on to say, "is a long-faced member of the Church—one of the bright and shining lights of the Church—who perhaps pays his Church fees with becoming punctuality." That a light of the Virginia Church should understand the virtues of tallow is surely most natural. And if he pays for his "dips," as well as for his pew, why revile him? MAYO is merely as wise as a child of light ought to be. He is lubricating himself for the popular boa constrictor, and we have no doubt will be swallowed whole and at once. "Dr. MCGRUDER," his opponent, may be the "intelligent, worthy, high-minded" citizen the *Whig* represents him to be, but his doom is sealed. MAYO will "slip in" before him. Electro-magnetic ballots, charged to knock down all MAYO voters, might turn the scale. But nothing less potent will stop the way of HENRICO'S "anointed."

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.—As a people we are prone to manufacture new Constitutions. In some one or more of the States this process is going on continually. Sometimes it is accomplished by a Convention of delegates formally called by the Legislature, and solemnly organized at a capital city, to overhaul the fundamental law, revise the Bill of Rights, and give the State a new rule of legislation. All this involves no revolution. The people, in fact, care very little about it—not half as much as if a Constable were to be elected. In some countries a change so radical would be attended with popular tumult, military displays, and, perchance, bloodshed. We, on the contrary, can overturn one form of Government, and adapt ourselves to a new one, as if it were the most common-place affair in the world.

These American peculiarities greatly amuse and puzzle our European brethren, who generally explain the phenomenon presented in our political society on the hypothesis that we have in reality no Government—that our republicanism is only a sort of anarchy, and that constantly changing confusion is our normal state. This pleasant explanation satisfies them vastly, and we cannot object to their enjoyment of it. But it is the precise contrary of the truth. It is simply because we are thoroughly grounded in law and order that no change can alarm the minds of our people or disturb the calm of society. We know that a new Constitution will leave us substantially as it found us—that it cannot for a moment affect the essentials of our liberty, or take away any important right. If an outrage were attempted, every man feels that he has the remedy in his hands. We hardly know of such a thing as treason. Nobody is punished for it; the crime, though sometimes committed, is disregarded. Our laws, constitutional and statutory, taken as a whole, are felt to be so strong that no attack need be feared.

Last Fall the people of this State refused to change their Constitution, more, possibly, from objection to the trouble and expense of a Convention, than for any other reason. Recently, Massachusetts, by a vote of her people, has adopted a single alteration; and now Connecticut has under consideration three several modifications of her fundamental law.

"The three proposed amendments are intended to effect a change in the present system of representation, and in the qualifications requisite for admission to the privileges of an elector. The first provides that each town in the State shall be entitled to but one representative in the General Assembly.

The second does away with the distinction of color, in the qualifications of an elector, and in effect erases the word 'white' from the present provision.

The third provides that naturalized citizens shall reside in the State one year after naturalization before being admitted to vote, and is as follows:

At the last session these amendments were proposed by a majority vote of the House of Representatives. If two-thirds of each House at the present session approve them, or any of them, such as are approved will be submitted to the people at their town meetings. It will be seen that one of the amendments involves the same principle as that recently adopted in Massachusetts, with the difference that it requires a period of one year instead of two to elapse between naturalization and voting.

STREET CLEANING.—The street cleaning under Mayor TIEMANN starts well. We hope there will be no fainting by the way, for there is no time to spare. Stirring up such immense accumulations of dirt, hoeing out gutters that have been for months choked up, is a dangerous business for June. In right hot weather it would be scarcely less hazardous than opening as many miles of cemeteries as there are miles of streets in the City. Every consideration of health, to say nothing of decency, calls upon the disaffected to keep the lawyers off, and restrain the forthcoming pack of injunctions, until the cobble-stones are everywhere visible. Every day's work now is a day's work for the prevention of dysentery, cholera morbus and the fatal diseases of infancy.

TOO STRONG BY HALF.—The *Daily News* of Monday last, speaking of the necessity for cleaning the streets in view of the approaching hot months, indulged in the following reminiscence:

"We remember, in the Winter of 1855-6, Broadway was rendered impassable by the immense collection of snow, ice, manure, &c. The contractor had gathered this into the centre of the street, and besides the obstruction to vehicular navigation, the sight was disgraceful. *The Mayor ordered it removed; the contractor omitted to do so, and the Mayor took the responsibility, and ordered it to be done at an expense of several thousand dollars*, PAID FROM HIS OWN POCKET! We do not mention this incident as an example to be followed upon the present occasion."

If the *News* had said merely that Mayor WOOD *promised* to pay the money from his own pocket, it would have been quite correct. But it claims entirely too much for him when it adds that he actually *did* so,—as the following copy of an order on file in the proper department shows:

> Per Ord'nce, Jan. 26, 1856. Cleaning Streets. A
>
> NEW YORK, May 3, 1856.
>
> TO THE TREASURER OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK AT THE MECHANICS' BANK.
>
> $2385] [No. 3985.
>
> Pay WM. BAIRD, or order, Twenty-three Hundred and Eighty-five Dollars for cleaning Broadway.
>
> A. C. FLAGG, Comptroller.
>
> Countersigned. FERNANDO WOOD, Mayor. D. T. VALENTINE, Clerk.

Mayor WOOD acted in the matter referred to with decided energy and public spirit, and conferred a great benefit upon the City by so doing; and we shall be very glad to see his example imitated in this particular. It was perfectly right in him to claim payment from the City for doing this work, and it was also quite right for the City to pay it. But the *News* in claiming too much for its patron-protégé does him more harm than good.

CONVENTION OF LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES.—A National Convention of Life Insurance Companies is in session in this City. It proposes mostly a work of preparation, and has already appointed committees to investigate and report, at the next annual meeting, upon several topics of great importance to all companies issuing life policies. Probably through the medium of the State Legislatures they will make an effort to obtain such laws for the registration of births, deaths and marriages as will produce, what is as yet a thing unknown here, a reliable return of the vital statistics of our country. This if, necessarily, a work of time. If every State in the Union had a good, practicable scheme for collecting these statistics of life and death, it would still be years before they could be made available as a basis for assurance. They must be furnished, however, sooner or later, or we shall always be obliged to insure in the dark—companies never knowing whether their rates are not so low as to ruin them all, when the first generation of "good lives" has passed—insurers never knowing but that they are paying far higher premiums than they ought. We heartily rejoice that the Underwriters have taken the matter in hand. Having the greatest money interest in the subject, it is proper and fortunate that they assume a task which sanitarians and philanthropists thus far have attempted in vain. It is no more right that we pay for life insurance rates established upon English tables of mortality, than that we should be satisfied under our very different circumstances with the longevity that European statistics show to be normal on the other hemisphere. When the data for an equitable rearrangement of annuity and assurance rates have been acquired from American figures, there will probably be a complete revision of the whole system. And unless before that time comes our own City's mortality bills have put on a very different aspect, the Life Companies will make as great a difference between City and country insurers as the Fire Insurance Companies make between farm houses and compactly-built blocks in the City. The Convention opened its sessions yesterday, and closes them to-day with a banquet, which certainly is the best device known to put people on good terms with each other.

WAR AT ALBANY.—When the thunderbolts are rattling overhead, the noise of rolling ten-pins dies out. Were not Austria and France at loggerheads, we should hear more of the great battle that is waging at Albany. The parties to this neglected fight are the majority of the Canal Board on one side, and Auditor BENTON on the other. Last week the Board appointed a new batch of Clerks and Assistant Collectors; the Auditor insists that it was a usurpation of power to appoint them, and that, appointed or not, they will be likely to come short of their salaries. The Auditor says the cost of collecting tolls ought to be decreased, but the Board is increasing it. In 1850 the toll receipts were $3,393,081, and it cost $54,986 to collect them. In 1858 the receipts were $2,047,391, and it cost $88,376 to get them in. The percentage of cost of collection in 1850 was $1 62—in 1858 it was $4 31—verifying the old suspicion that it costs more to make a living than to make a fortune. Moreover, the increase of the percentage of cost of collection in 1858 was $1 03 over that of 1857—for which Auditor BENTON can see no good cause. Unless places for hungry applicants are extraordinarily scarce, and the party pressure particularly strong upon the Board, we suspect the public, like the plucky Auditor, will have to wipe its spectacles very hard and very often to see any sort of propriety in the increase.

American Fire-Arms in Europe.

If we are debarred from the privilege of being "counted in" among the combatants in the great European struggle which has just commenced, we shall at least have the satisfaction of furnishing the opposing parties with very material aid towards hastening the close of the contest. We may not only send them food for their men, but the most effective arms also for their use. There are several military agents now in this country of the different European Powers, and among them three Austrian officers, who are examining the recent improvements in fire-arms which have been made, with a view to their adoption and purchase. We understand that the "volcanic repeating rifle" has been pronounced by some of these agents the best instrument they have seen, and it is said that an order has been given for the immediate delivery of ten thousand of the "thirty shooters." It is said that this rifle, with the new improvements which have been effected in it, is the most deadly firearm, when charged with a new propelling agent, more powerful than gunpowder, that has yet been invented, and that it will throw a ball two thousand yards, with killing force, and at the rate of thirty in a minute. The manufacturers of these deadly implements of warfare have a much greater number of orders than they can possibly execute. The army which is first equipped with these powerful weapons, if the experience of the field shall bear out all that is claimed for them, will possess an important advantage over their opponents.

The Government of France—Its Actual Members.

A paragraph giving the actual *personnel* of the French Government is circulating in the papers, credited to the *Journal of Commerce*. So frequent and radical are the errors it contains, that we deem it worth while to present the subjoined amended and extended list.

I.

Regent of the Empire—The Empress EUGENIE.
Private Councillor of the Regent—Prince JEROME BONAPARTE.

II.

Council of the Regency—PIERRE JULES BAROCHE, President; Cardinal Morlot, Duke of Malakoff, Achille Fould, R. T. Troplong, Count de Morny, Count de Persigny, Marshal Valliant, Count Walewski.

III.—CABINET.

Minister of State and of the Household—Achille Fould.
Minister of Foreign Affairs—Count Colonna Walewski.
Minister of the Interior—Duke of Padua.
Minister of Finance—Pierre Magne.
Minister of War—Field-Marshal Count Randon.
Minister of the Marine—Admiral F. A. Hamelin.
Minister of Instruction and Worship—Gustave Rouland.
Minister of Commerce—Eugene Rouher.
Minister of Algiers and the Colonies—Count de Chasseloup Laubat.
Minister of Justice—Claude Alphonse Delangle.

IV.—SENATE.

President—Raymond Theodore Troplong.
Vice-President—Ernest de Royer.

V.—CORPS LEGISLATIF.

President—Count de Morny.

ORGANIZATION OF THE ARMY IN THE FIELD.

Commander-in-Chief—The Emperor NAPOLEON III.
Aide-de-Camp of the Emperor—Gen. Count de Montebello, Gen. Prince de la Moskowa, Gen. Fleury, Col. de Genlis, Col. Reille, Lieut.-Col. Marquis of Toulongeon and Lieut.-Col. Lepic.
Orderly Officers—Lieut.-Col. Fave, Chef d'Escadron Schmitz, Captains Brady, Emile Tascher de la Pagerie, Prince de la Tour d'Auvergne and Lieut. Prince Joachim Murat.
Major General—Marshal Vaillant.

FIRST CORPS D'ARMEE.

Commander, Marshal Count Baraguay d'Hilliers.
Chief of the Staff.—Gen. Foltz.
Generals of Division.—Forey, Beuret, Blanchard, L'Admirault, deMartimprey, Jusuf, L'adreytt de la Charriere, Bazaine, Gozé.

SECOND CORPS D'ARMEE.

Commander, Gen. Maurice M'Mahon.
Chief of the Staff.—Gen. Lebrun.
Generals of Division.—De la Motte Rouge, Lefevre, Bonnet, Polhes, Espinasse.

THIRD CORPS D'ARMEE.

Commander, Marshal Canrobert.
Chief of the Staff—General de Senneville.
Generals of Division—Bourbaki, Trocher, Ducrot, Bataille, Collineau, Renaut, Picart, Jannin.

FOURTH CORPS D'ARMEE.

Commander, Gen. Adolphe Niel.
Chief of the Staff—Generals Espirent de la Ville, Boisnet.
Generals of Division—Vinoy, Niol, de Legnitz, de Failly, O'Farrell, Saurin.
Commander-in-Chief of the Forces to Operate in the Adriatic—Prince Napoleon.
Commander-in-Chief of the Army of Observation upon the Rhine—The Marshal, Duke of Malakoff.

Academy of Music.

DONIZETTI'S opera of "I Martiri," under the Italian title of "Il Poliuto," was produced here last night for the first time in America, and with decided success. This is perhaps the least known of the Master's numerous works. At the outset of its career it incurred the displeasure of the Neapolitan authorities, and was in consequence snubbed and shelved. It has been given since in a modified form, and with fair success. Recently the work has been revived in Paris, and there can hardly be a doubt that in the French Metropolis, *Les Martyrs* will henceforth be a popular work. Its success was tremendous.

The story of the opera is taken from CORNEILLE'S "Polyeucte," and is one of "faith and strong belief." Our readers have scarcely forgotten the magnificent performance of the heroine given by Mlle. RACHEL during her brief and unhappy career in this country. It seems a little curious that the next interpreter of the part should be Mlle. PICCOLOMINI, and the inevitable comparison which is apt to be established thereat is not, we must confess, favorable to the Siennese *prima donna*. Still, *Paolina* in the opera is not what she is in the tragedy. DONIZETTI'S music softens the character to the womanliness of long love and sacrifice. In all that is meek and sacrificial, PICCOLOMINI is especially good, and as these phases of the character are always the most prominent, there is much to admire and very little to condemn in the lady's performance.

The fervor and ecstasy of the Christian polyuters seemed to sit uneasily on the stalwart person of Signor BRIGNOLI. The part needs an actor of the first class, and in Europe has seldom been intrusted to any other. Signor BRIGNOLI'S warmest admirers can scarcely claim dramatic power as one of his excellencies. The usual *sang froid* of his bearing was not more than usually amusing in this part. Vocally considered the gentleman was excellent. He was in superb voice, and seemed to feel an interest in the success of the evening which in no small degree contributed to it.

The music in this opera is in DONIZETTI'S usual vein; every act is charged with some felicity of heart and expression; the solos are melodious; the *ensembles* massive and unembarassed; there is no affectation, yet abundant effect. A more delicious work we have not listened to for some years, and now that it has found its way to the Academy there cannot be a doubt but it will be played as often and as satisfactorily as many others by the same composer. In these days, when we have nothing but VERDI and MEYERBEER, a work like this is indeed a treat. The manner in which it has been placed on the stage is in the highest degree satisfactory. During Mr. MARETZEK'S reign at this house the scenery was commenced; with ample time to complete it the result is of course satisfactory. There are few establishments in Europe where this opera can be seen to greater advantage.

The opera opens with an effective overture, longer than we find in most of DONIZETTI'S, but of the same popular kind. The principal melody is introduced with much boldness, and a novel effect is produced by the singing of a chorus behind the curtain—a bit of clap-trap in the Meyerbeer vein. In the first act there is a fine chorus of male voices in unison—clear and shapely and well sung. After this, BRIGNOLI has a larghetto which he sung admirably. A quartette behind the scenes is another noticeable feature. PICCOLOMINI'S scena, *Di quai so avi*, follows; the movement is too slow for a voice so thin as PICCOLOMINI'S; the ensuing allegro was the best part—a part, too, not belonging to DONIZETTI, but introduced judiciously at this point. The entrance of the Pro-Consul leads to much brass, and as a scena for baritone, Signor AMODI'S triumphal entry was a little absurd, but his singing was first-rate. The finale to the first act is decidedly circusey, but for the general public it is broad and effective. The procession, brass band, &c., make a sensation.

The second act contains many fine pieces, and is remarkable for the dramatic passion that prevails in the music. In this act we have BRIGNOLI'S best aria *Il folgoro*, a true scena for baritone and a magnificent finale,—one of the best *ensembles* that DONIZETTI ever wrote. There is a touch of brass-band in it, but, despite this, it is grand and delicious. BRIGNOLI was admirable in this act. His singing was faultless, and frequently the coldness of his acting thawed beneath the fervor with which he threw himself into the music. PICCOLOMINI, too, was excellent, and AMODIO also. Indeed this act was, in all respects, magnificently rendered. It created a decided sensation, and led to the liveliest demonstrations of satisfaction.

The third act is, in some respects, an improvement on any previous section of the opera. The action progresses with steady art, and the music becomes more fervid. The principal air of the opera—introduced in the overture—is heard here. There is certainly no falling off in the interest of the music. When the curtain came down it was upon a success, decided and deserved. We have seldom attended a first performance so satisfactory in every respect. The singers were all good; the chorus and orchestra admirable: the scenery and appointments all that could be desired. Mr. STRAKOSCH will, we trust, reap the reward of this stroke of liberal management.

The orchestra, under Signor MUZIO, displayed all that delicacy for which, under that gentleman's efficient rule, it is celebrated. We may here refer to a very delicious cavatina in the first act, written for Mlle. PICCOLOMINI by Signor MUZIO, and introduced with marked success. It is a brilliant trifle, after the manner of VERDI, displaying a fluent invention, and a perfect knowledge of vocal gymnastics.

Condition of the Streets.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Permit me through the columns of your paper to call attention of the proper authorities to the bad condition of Eighty-sixth street from Avenue B to the East River. The Hell Gate Ferry lies at the foot of this street. For nearly seven years an injunction has been resting upon this public highway, owing to some property-holders objecting to the plans for grading the street, and, consequently, it has compelled the farmers from Long Island as well as private vehicles to cross at the Tenth-street Ferry at great inconvenience.

The public have rights as individuals, and it is a disgrace to the City that so important a highway should be allowed to remain unfinished and useless. We would suggest to those whose business it is to protect the rights of the City, to give this matter the earliest attention.

Trial Trip of the Steamer Guatemala.

The new Panama Railroad Company's steamer *Guatemala* made her final trial trip on Tuesday, going as far as Cape May and returning last evening at 6 o'clock. There were about 75 guests on board, among them Mr. WHITEWRIGHT, President *pro tem.* of of the Company; Col. TOTTEN, its Chief Engineer; Señor JOSE YRISARRI, the Minister of Guatemala and Salvador, with his Secretary; WM. CORNELL, J. A. CAREY, of Costa Rica; H. SANDFORD, ex-Secretary of Legation at Paris; ISAAC TOWNSEND, SIMEON DRAPER, GEO. W. BLUNT, J. H. WAINWRIGHT, JOHN BAIRD, C. H. DELEMATER and many other well-known citizens. Ample provision was made for the entertainment of the party in the best style.

The event possessed more than usual interest in the mercantile community, as the building and equipping of this splendid steamer inaugurates a new era in the commerce with the Central American ports, carried on from Panama, in connection with transportation across that Isthmus. The brilliant success which has attended the humble beginning, in a brief space of time, under the auspices of the Panama Railroad Company, is the subject of gratulation by the parties directly interested, and points forward to the time when other steamers will be required to meet the demands of this growing trade.

The steamer left the Delemater Iron Works shortly before 12 o'clock, on Tuesday, with every promise of a fine day for the excursion,—an augury which was fully realized by the continuance of delightful weather throughout the trip. On passing the Battery, where the steamship *Persia* was lying at anchor, dressed out with a profusion of colors in honor of the birthday of the Queen, Capt. DAW, of the *Guatemala*, ordered the British ensign to be hoisted at the fore and saluted. The compliment was gracefully returned by the *Persia*. The steamer proceeded slowly, the effort being not so much to attain at first a high rate of speed as to limber the engines. She proceeded as far as the Light-ship off Cape May, the engines performing most satisfactory, and the ship making an average speed of 9½ knots. The whole amount of coal consumed during the 25 hours of the trip was only 10 tons, 1,808 pounds. From Sandy Hook to the Battery she ran 12 knots an hour, with a two-knot current ahead.

At the dinner on Tuesday, Mr. WHITEWRIGHT presided, and Capt. Dow and Mr. BAIRD, the constructor of the ship and her engines, were called out, and made some interesting statements.

Capt. Dow gave a history of the enterprise from its inception to the present time, and Mr. BAIRD held their attention for some time in a well-considered review of the advantages of the screw over side-wheel steamers.

The Chairman, having given, "The prosperity of the Central American States," Mr. YRISARRI expressed his gratification upon meeting so large and intelligent a company of gentlemen, whose object was to develop the Central American States by means of commerce and the arts of peace. This was the only way in which that desirable result could be attained. He had expressed to the Government of the United States the great evils which lawless men had inflicted upon his country by fillibuster enterprises, and it was due to the interests of both countries that they should be visited with exemplary punishment. He hoped the two countries would continue to be one in friendship, and that they would labor together for the preservation of those peaceful relations under which alone commerce could be increased, and her resources developed. [Cheers.]

The *Guatemala* was built by SAMUEL SNEDEN for the Panama Railroad Company, under the superintendence of JOHN BAIRD. She was constructed of the best materials, and without regard to expense, and is the most thoroughly built and perfectly equipped steamer which has ever been constructed in this port. She can accommodate one hundred first-class and an equal number of steerage passengers. The results of the trial trip show that she will be able to make the entire voyage to Panama without the necessity of stopping to coal. Her engine is an inverted direct-acting condensing engine, of 56 inches diameter of cylinder, and 45 inches stroke of piston. Her model is adapted for rapid sailing, and at the same time for carrying a large amount of cargo. The following is a list of her officers:

John M. Dow, Captain; William Rathbone, Chief Officer; G. Coleman, Second Officer; Walter N. Brooke, Third Officer; L. S. Huntress, Chief Engineer; Norman Ames, First Assistant Engineer; David M. Howe, Second Assistant Engineer; George Good, Third Assistant Engineer; F. Ansoategui, Purser; J. P. Kluge, Surgeon.

The Late Mr. Leslie.

RED HOOK, Tuesday, May 24, 1859.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

SIR: In your notice in yesterday's NEW-YORK TIMES of the late C. R. LESLIE, I observe some inaccuracies. The first picture which distinguished Mr. LESLIE, was his "Sir Roger de Coverly going to Church," which was painted for the late JAMES DUNLOP, Esq., of London, (his early and munificent friend,) and afterwards copied for the Earl of EGREMONT. This picture was followed by "The Party Gipseying in Epping Forest," purchased in London in 1821 by a gentleman on the Hudson River, who still owns it. He visited Sir W. SCOTT, at Abbotsford, and painted his portrait for Mr. TICKNOR, of Boston, who, I believe, has LESLIE'S "Martha and Mary," also. Mr. LENOX, of New-York, has two pictures by LESLIE. Mr. LESLIE was a person of genial humor and of exquisite and refined taste—as his selection and treatment of subjects from MOLIERE and CERVANTES and SHAKESPEARE—as well as the Scenes of English Life—fully indicate. In fact he was the Washington Irving of painters, whose congenial tastes and intimacy with LESLIE qualify him to give truthful and just views of Mr. L.'s early life.

But the pictures for the Queen of England—"The Baptism of the Prince of Wales" and "The Coronation," are, perhaps, the works of the most elaborate and costly description that Mr. LESLIE has left. He received, I believe, £10,000 for the two, and £2 000 subsequently for the engravings. Some late productions of Mr. L.'s pencil that have come under the writer's observation, are defective in color and finish, caused probably by failure of his eyes. But his earlier works are not only as finely conceived and elaborately finished as WILKIE or the Flemish masters show in similar subjects, but are distinguished by artistic and refined treatment. A SUBSCRIBER.

The Doctrine and its Consequences.

To the Editor of the New-York Times.

Slaves, say Messrs. WISE and BOYCE (indeed so say the whole South,) are property. Not such merely under the local laws of the Slave States, but property within the meaning and under the protection of the Federal Constitution. Therefore, like other personal effects, it may be removed by its Virginia owner to Kansas, and there held as such. Being there and thus held and protected, it is inviolable, and no Kansas Constitution can take it away.

To illustrate. An emigrant passes from this State to Kansas with his flocks and herds. Is it not absurd to say that any future Kansas State Constitution can impair his right to this property or to its increase? Some things a State Constitution may do, but to strip individuals of their private property, previously acquired and held under the Constitution of the United States, it cannot do. It therefore amounts to irresistible demonstration, that under this assumption of "*property in slaves*," no Free State can ever be constitutionally formed out of the Territories of the United States. It follows too, that the State of New-York never *constitutionally* abolished Slavery. Indeed the Washington *Union* once boldly stated this proposition, and who can say, that under this assumption of "property in slaves," it is not a legitimate one?

Under the local laws of the Slave States, slaves must be conceded to be to all intents and purposes, property, for they are *there* subject to sales, pledges, executions, bequests, &c., like other personal effects. That they are such in the light of the Federal Constitution is a monstrous heresy, for that Constitution not only designates them as *persons* generally, but as such declares them to be in part the basis of Representation in Congress. Property can in no sense be represented there. †

Our Difficulties With England About Central America.

From the Philadelphia American.

WASHINGTON, Friday, May 20, 1859.

There is at length a well assured prospect that our diplomatic complications with England in Central America are to be relieved, and an upright understanding established, upon a basis of mutual satisfaction. That is to say, the agreement is to be carried out in good faith, which the great principle of the Clayton-Bulwer Treaty contemplated, of free transit at the Isthmus, abandonment of the Mosquito Protectorate, and unconditional recession of the Bay Islands. When the Senate amended that bungling bargain called the Dallas-Clarendon Convention, these conditions were substantially imposed, and after the retirement of Lord PALMERSTON'S Ministry, which refused to accept the modifications, they were adopted by Lord MALMESBURY as the best means of reaching a solution of this protracted and vexatious controversy. Our treaty with Nicaragua, known as the Cass-Yrissari, was predicated upon this idea; and when Sir GORE OUSELEY went there to conduct his negotiation, a copy of it was furnished as the model to be followed, in order to illustrate the conformity of policy on both sides.

It is not material to inquire now what motives operated to induce Sir GORE to depart from this direct course: but when it was seen that, before relinquishing the Musquito Protectorate, which was understood here to have been designed as the starting point of his proceedings, he concluded a treaty of amity and commerce, with amendments not recognized by ours, and then left Nicaragua suddenly, the impression was very reasonable that some change in the programme had occurred which demanded the prompt and decisive interference of our Government. This led to a correspondence with Mr. DALLAS, which was submitted to Lord MALMESBURY, and that was followed by assurances, just received, which have given the promise of adjustments already referred to. While it is not improbable that the war in Europe may have, in some degree, induced a more active desire to have this cause of embarrassment removed, candor requires it to be said that declarations of Lord MALMESBURY, before the war was precipitated, gave abundant confidence that the original purpose would be carried out, no matter what arrangements Sir GORE OUSELEY might make or had made.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

From Washington.

THE DECISION OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL IN THE PERKINS CASE—PROPER METHOD OF PROCURING PASSPORTS, &C.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, May 25, 1859.

The opinion of Attorney General BLACK on the point submitted by the Secretary of State in the Perkins case, alluded to yesterday, does not discuss the claim against the Russian Government, but merely shows how the subject is affected by the law of this country, and it is under this that the parties interested, and not the Attorney-General, conceive the integrity of the contracts will be fully maintained, and all things considered, the matter promptly adjusted. The sufficiency of the proofs, however, must be left to the conscience of the Emperor.

As citizens of the United States visiting foreign countries are liable to serious inconvenience if unprovided with authentic proof of their national character, their best safeguard is a passport from the State Department, certifying the bearer to be a citizen of the United States. Passports are issued gratuitously upon application supported by proof of citizenship.

This proof need be transmitted but once. On all subsequent occasions, a simple reference to it, and to the period when it was presented, will be sufficient.

When the applicant is a *native citizen* of the United States, he must transmit an affidavit of this fact, signed by him, stating his age and place of birth, and sworn to by himself, and one other citizen of the United States named therein, to whom he is personally known, and to the best of his knowledge and belief the declaration made by him is true. This affidavit must be attested by a Notary Public, under his signature and seal of office. When there is no Notary in the place, the affidavit may be made before a Justice of the Peace, or other officer authorized to administer oaths.

If the applicant be a *naturalized* citizen, his certificate of naturalization must be transmitted for inspection. It will be returned with the passport. The widow or the children of a naturalized citizen must transmit the certificate of the naturalization of the husband or the father, stating under oath that they are such widow or children.

The application should be accompanied by a description of the person, stating the following particulars, viz: Age, — years; stature, — feet, — inches, (English measure;) forehead, —; eyes, —; nose, —; mouth, —; chin, —; hair, —; complexion, —; face, —.

When the applicant is to be accompanied by his wife, children or servants, or by females under his protection, it will be sufficient to state the name and ages of such persons, and their relationship to the applicant.

Persons who leave the country, expecting to obtain passports while abroad from the Diplomatic or Consular agents of the United States, are liable to disappointment, inasmuch as it is the duty of those agents not to grant documents of this character, except to persons who are certainly known to be entitled to them; and it is sometimes difficult, if not impracticable, to procure proof of this fact in a foreign country.

Certificates of citizenship or passports issued by State authorities, or by Judicial or Municipal functionaries of the United States, are not recognized by the officers of foreign Governments; and by the twenty-third section of the act of Congress, approved on the 18th of August last, it is made penal for such authorities and functionaries to issue such passports.

EDWARD F. CARSON, WM. BRADLEY, JOS. D. GRAFTON, ROBERT L. WEBER, and DAVID KINDELBERGER, have been appointed Assistant Surgeons in the Navy.

No further action, it is said, is considered necessary in consequence of the last reported accounts from Utah, as the instructions recently forwarded to the Federal officers are calculated to prevent future conflicts of jurisdiction among them, and will soon reach that Territory.

The Bids for the Mail Bag Contract.

WASHINGTON, May, 1859.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

As a matter of public interest, I am permitted to lay before the readers of the TIMES the following copy of the "list of proposals for mail-bags, received under the advertisement dated 17th January, 1859, with the relative grades of quality assigned to the specimens submitted with such proposals, as adjudged and estimated by the Committee of Inspection, appointed by the Postmaster-General for that purpose:"

BIDDERS FOR CANVAS POUCHES—FIVE SIZES.

	Price per set.	Remarks as to merits by the Committee.
Cullen Brown, Detroit	$11 05	Samples incomplete.
J. F. McFarland, Baltimore	16 08	Rejected as unfit.
Andrews & Washburn, Camden, Me.	13 15	Not considered—inc'plete.
B. F. Palmer, Boston	11 04	6th quality.
Wm. E. Hooper & Co., Baltimore	14 00	5th quality.
Jacob Groat, Troy	11 25	Not considered—inc'plete.
Emerson Gaylord, Chicopee, Mass	12 15	2d quality—imp'd fast'gs.
*Thos. J. Lamden & Bro, Baltimore	11 90	1st quality—imp'd fast'gs.
John S. Turner, Philadelphia	14 65	6th quality.

*Accepted by Postmaster-General, May 13, 1859.

BIDDERS FOR CANVAS BAGS—THREE SIZES.

Andrews & Washburn, Camden	$3 95	1st quality.
B. F. Palmer, Boston	2 05	1st quality.
Wm. E. Hooper & Co., Baltimore	2 11	Insufficient.
Jacob Groat, Troy	1 50	Not consid'd.
John Welsh, Philadelphia	2 19	1st quality.
*Thos. J. Lamden & Bro., Baltimore	1 78	1st quality.
John S. Turner, Philadelphia	2 25	Insufficient.

*Accepted by Postmaster-General.

BIDDERS FOR CANVAS HORSE-MAIL BAGS—THREE SIZES.

B. F. Palmer, Boston	$6 73	3d quality.
Wm. E. Hooper & Co., Baltimore	7 90	2d quality.
*Thos. J. Lamden & Bro., Baltimore	6 88	1st quality—improvem't
John S. Turner, Philadelphia	8 57	3d quality.

*Accepted by Postmaster General.

BIDDERS FOR LEATHER POUCHES—FIVE SIZES.

Cullen Brown, Detroit	$40 95	2d quality—improvem't.
John C. Garland, Chicago	32 01	4th quality.
James B. Nicols, Bath Me	25 22	5th quality.
Gibb & Dunaven, Albany	25 75	2d quality—improvem't.
Andrews & Washburn, Camden	35 48	Not considered—samples defective.
J. H. Haskell Baltimore	31 04	3d quality.
B. F. Palmer, Boston	30 00	3d quality.
John Donoho, Albany	26 30	4th quality—do'ble straps
Jacob Groat, Troy	24 30	4th quality.
J. C. Feltman, Jr., Albany	25 45	4th quality.
*E. Gaylord, Chickopee, Mass	28 75	1st quality—improvem't.
R. R. Hartley & Co., Pittsburg	26 55	Not considered—samples incomplete.

*Accepted by Postmaster-General.

Note.—First quality 25 per cent. superior to second quality; second quality 10 per cent. superior to third quality; third quality 10 per cent. superior to fourth quality, and fourth quality 20 per cent superior to fifth quality.

Anniversary Week in Boston.

BOSTON, Wednesday, May 25.

The anniversary meetings of all kinds were fully attended to-day.

The American Anti-Slavery Society held its Annual Convention to-day, its proceedings being of the same character as formerly. Addresses were made by Messrs. PHILLIPS, GARRISON and other leading Abolitionists.

A public meeting, in behalf of the Southern Aid Society, was held at the Central Church this evening, and was fully attended. Addresses were made by the Rev. LUTHER FARNHAM, of Boston; R. V. CUSHMAN, of Charlestown; the Rev. JOHN O. FISKE, of Bath, Me., and the Rev. A. A. WILLETTS, of Philadelphia.

The Presbyterian General Assembly—New School.

WILMINGTON, Del., Wednesday, May 25.

The Assembly were engaged the entire day in discussing the Report on Foreign Missions. It proposes denominational action in connection with the Board, and professedly seeks to remove obstacles in the way of harmonious coöperation, and to excite a deeper interest in the Missions. The Report will probably be adopted, with modifications.

The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of the United States.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ia., Thursday, May 25.

The Assembly was in session again to-day, but nothing of importance was done. Dr. RICE concluded his speech on the Seminary question, and was followed by Drs. CUNNINGHAM and STEVENSON. No vote was taken on it.

Maryland Episcopal Convention.

BALTIMORE, Wednesday, May 25.

The Seventy-sixth Annual Convention of the Episcopal Church of Maryland met to day in this city. Bishop WHITTINGHAM was present. The question of dividing the Diocese comes up to-day.

Sad Affair—Two Young Ladies Drowned.

BOSTON, Wednesday, May 25.

Miss FRANCES CADY, of Blackstone, and Miss GEORGIANA BROWN, of Pawtucket, were carried over the dam at High Rock, Blackstone, last evening, while sailing in a boat. Their bodies were recovered this morning.

Completion of the Canadian Telegraph Line to Farther Point.

MONTREAL, Wednesday, May 25.

The extension of the Montreal Telegraph Company's Line to Farther Point was completed early this morning, and the wires to that station are now working beautifully. It is thought that the news by the new steamship *Hungarian*, which left Liverpool on the 18th inst., will be obtained *via* Farther Point on Saturday next. The News Boat of the Associated Press has been removed from Rivière du Loup to the new station, and the arrangements for boarding the inward bound steamers are expected to be much more effective than hitherto.

Meeting of the Republican National Committee.

ALBANY, Wednesday, May 25.

The Republican National Committee hold a session in the Executive Chamber, to-day, to consider the question as to the time and place of holding the next Republican National Convention. The attendance is good—some twenty members of the Committee being present at noon. The proceedings are strictly private, but it is thought the decision will be in favor of holding the Convention at St. Louis, Mo., or Wheeling, or some other place in Virginia. The present meeting is supposed to be only for discussion, and that no definite decision will now be made.

Governor MORGAN entertains the delegates at the Executive Mansion to-night.

No Tidings of the Asia.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Tuesday, May 24.

Nothing has been seen or heard of the Royal Mail steamship *Asia* at Cape Race, but it is thought she has passed that point, though at too great a distance to be observed.

Charge of Embezzlement.

BOSTON, Wednesday, May 25.

JAMES G. MARTIN, a stock-broker, was to-day held in $5,000, on a charge of embezzlement of stocks intrusted to him to negotiate.

The Denver City Overland Express.

LEAVENWORTH, K. T., Wednesday, May 25.

The Overland Express has arrived here from Denver City with dates of the 13th inst. The panic among the emigrants had subsided in a great measure and a better feeling prevailed. Quartz continued to be discovered and promised to yield well. Gold dust was offered in limited quantities at Denver City, but there was no coin there to purchase it.

Marine Disaster.

CHARLESTON, Wednesday, May 25.

The ship *Connecticut* from New-York for Savannah, went ashore seven miles south of St. Helena Bar, and is in a dangerous position.

The Oberlin Rescuers.

CINCINNATI, Wednesday, May 25.

The argument in the *habeas corpus* case of BUSHNELL and LANGSTON, two of the Oberlin rescuers, was opened by A. G. RIDDLE for the prisoners, who was followed by Attorney-General WOLCOTT for the United States.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

COMMISSIONERS OF EMIGRATION.—The Board met yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock. The bill of the New-Haven Arms Company, amounting to $1,150, for volcanic arms which the Company let the authorities have during the Quarantine riots, in September last, was received. Mr. MERVIN, the agent of the Company, says that the arms were furnished at the net cash price, and no charge was made for the use of those returned; none for carrying them to and from Staten Island, and none for 5,000 balls which were returned so much damaged as to be entirely useless. The charge for repairs, $270, is just what he paid the workmen. Mr. M. states further that the Board of Directors have censured him for not having taken measures to collect the amount of bill. It is said that several of the pistols were put up at a raffle recently, and there is naturally a strong suspicion that the missing arms have fallen into hands where they do not legally belong. Mr. SAMUEL L. POST sent in a proposal to the Commissioners to purchase three lots on Ward's Island. He claims to be the owner of the lots which he proposes to sell, while the Commissioners allege that the ground is already bought and paid for. The matter was referred to the appropriate Committee. Three thousand four hundred and eighty emigrants have arrived during the past week, making a total for the year of 24,809, against 20,579 to same date in 1858. There are 780 inmates in the institutions on Ward's Island, and 58 in the Marine Hospital. The balance-sheet shows an overdraft of $3,084 88.

THE GENERAL ADMIRAL.—Yesterday was the third day this vessel has been open to public inspection, and the number visiting her was equal to either of the previous days. To prevent confusion, men were stationed at the different gangways to direct the motions of the crowd. They swarmed in every part of the great ship from the topgallant forecastle to the magazine room, and from the keelson to the maintop. The difficulty of getting ashore led some to avail themselves of the gun-ports as a way of egress from the ship. The men, who are sometimes obliged to crawl through a small hole to get out of bad scrapes, found no difficulty in escaping from the throng in this way. The ladies, however, were effectually stopped by their expanding hoops, and several ludicrous scenes transpired during their efforts to back out from an awkward position. The following card from Mr. WEBB announces that she is no longer open to the public:

TO THE PUBLIC.
RUSSIAN FRIGATE GENERAL ADMIRAL, Thursday, May 26.

The impossibility of carrying on the work on board this ship in consequence of the great crowd visiting her, she will not, on and after this date, be open to the public after 12 o'clock M. W. W. WEBB.

FIRE IN NORFOLK-STREET.—About 12½ o'clock yesterday afternoon, a fire broke out in the varnish factory of WM. TILDEN & NEPHEW, in Norfolk street, near Grand. It originated from the boiling over of a pot of varnish. Damage about $500; fully insured in the Pacific and Excelsior Insurance Companies. This is the fifth time this place has been on fire, but in every instance extinguished by the firemen before the flames had gained much headway.

THE FOURTEENTH-STREET POISONING CASE.—The papers in the case of MARGARET BURKE, the servant girl, who was rearrested some time since on a charge of poisoning Mrs. BETHAM and FAYETTE ROBINSON, were yesterday sent before the Grand Jury, and an examination of witnesses entered upon. It was stated, after the separation of the jurors, that a true bill of indictment had been found against her. The matter was under discussion some time between Mr. O'CONOR, counsel for MARGARET, and the District Attorney, whether to go into a lengthy examination of witnesses before Justice WELSH, the committing magistrate. It was finally determined that the ends of justice would be as fully served by sending the case at once to the Grand Jury, and this action was accordingly taken. MARGARET, meantime, has been detained in custody at the Tombs.

THE BODY OF BILL HARRINGTON REPORTED FOUND.—A man's body was found, yesterday forenoon, in the East River, near the foot of Twenty-third-street. A portion of the flesh was gone from the face, and there were other indications that the body had been a long time in the water. On being taken to Bellevue Hospital, the remains were pronounced by some to be those of BILL HARRINGTON, the pugilist, who has been missing several months. An inquest was held on the body, and a verdict of supposed drowning rendered. The body was ordered to be kept at the Dead house, to await fuller identification.

THE COLUMBIA-STREET MYSTERY.—Captain SQUIRES, of the Eleventh Precinct, reported that he has obtained a clue, which, he thinks, will solve the Columbia-street mystery. The woman, a portion of whose remains were found in the vault, he intimates as having been a married woman, whose husband lives in Philadelphia, and who had run away from him.

FIRE IN NORFOLK-STREET.—The alarm of fire about noon yesterday was caused by a fire breaking out in the varnish manufactory of Messrs. TILDEN & NEPHEW, No. 115 Norfolk-street. The fire originated from the boiler, and was caused by the carelessness of one of the workmen. The damage to the stock and building was about $200, and is uninsured.

DEPARTURE OF THE PERSIA.—The Royal Mail steamship *Persia*, Capt. JUDKINS, left yesterday for Liverpool carrying 235 passengers and $3,007,589 in specie. This is the largest amount of specie which ever left this port for England in any single steamer. A list of the passengers is given elsewhere in the TIMES of this morning.

ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE.—A man named JAMES HOPKINS, attempted to commit suicide last evening, at No. 25 Catharine-slip, by cutting his throat with a razor. He was conveyed to the New-York Hospital, where his wound was dressed by the attending surgeon.

FIRE IN BEACH-STREET.—About a quarter before 9 o'clock last evening a fire broke out in the coffee-roasting establishment of CHAS. MORGAN, No. 70 Beach-street. It was extinguished with but trifling damage.

STREET CLEANING.—In order that the work of cleaning the streets may carried on first where it is most required, the Mayor yesterday went on a tour of examination, for the purpose of gaining accurate information of the relative condition of the streets of the different wards.

Singer's Sewing Machines.
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For Families, Tailors and all manufacturing purposes these machines are unequaled. They are more durable, capable of doing a greater variety of work, and of earning more money than any machines in the market.
The new Family Machines, at $50 and $75, are attracting universal attention. They are much the best machines ever offered at a low price.
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NOISELESS FAMILY SEWING MACHINES.
NEW STYLES AT REDUCED PRICES.
No. 495 Broadway, New York.
No. 162 Fulton-street, Brooklyn.

The Catamenial Bandage, or Female Protector is now ready. For sale by J. B. MARSH & CO., No 229 Broadway, and by the druggists generally throughout the United States. Price $1 50 by mail or express.

Catarrh! Catarrh! Catarrh! Catarrh!!
WHAT IS IT? HOW CURED?
Thousands of persons suffer all sorts of annoyance from Catarrh. Most people know what its inconvenience and results are, yet but few know how it can be cured. It is simply a chronic irritation, and often elargement of follicles, and consequent thickening of the mucous membrane, lining the nasal cavities, frontal sinuses, and posterior nares, and sometimes extending into the throat and lungs. From this result tightness and often vertigo of the head, obstructed nose, or a profuse flow of mucus, loss of smell, nasal voice, and often impaired hearing and taste.
The old school remedies have never been able to do anything for it. Nasal injections and inhalations are as painful and expensive as they are generally worthless. Yet HUMPHREYS' CATARRH SPECIFIC, a simple sugar Pill, taken two or three times per day, promptly cures the milder cases; cures at once all colds in the head, and radically cures, by persevering use, the most obstinate cases, as is proved by the experience of hundreds.
Price, with full directions,
FIFTY CENTS PER BOX.
N. B.—A full set of HUMPHREY'S HOMŒOPATHIC SPECIFICS with a Book of Directions and twenty different Remedies, in large vials, morocco case, $5; do, in plain case, $4. Family case of fifteen boxes, and book, $2.
These remedies, by the single box or case, are sent by mail or express, free of charge, to any address, on receipt of the price. Address,
DR. F. HUMPHREYS & CO., No. 561 Broadway, New-York.

Sore Throat Plague, and Sore Throat.—This quality of seizing hold and causing the expulsion of depraved humors is possessed by no other medicine than Brandreth's Pills. They operate only upon the tissues involved in—that is, affected by the disease. In fact, they seize upon those humors not so much from preference as from natural affinity, their life being below that of the surrounding parts; and which, settling on the tissues of the throat—that is, around the throat region—produce sore throat, sore throat plague, and the severe headache and fever. Within an hour after four or six pills are taken, there is felt a peculiar creeping in the part affected, a sort of collecting up of the diseased humors ready for expulsion. No hurt or weakening effect can ever arise from their use, because they cannot act upon healthy parts; and taken early, they prevent all organic disease. Oh, how important in sickness to use that medicine which only extinguishes the disease and leaves no evil effect behind. Sold at 25 cents a box, with pamphlet and directions, at No. 294 Canal-st., Brandreth Building, and at all respectable druggists.

4,000 Black Alpaca Coats,
From $1 50 to $5 50,
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Meyer's Miraculous Vermin Destroyer
THE ONLY REMEDY IN THE WHOLE WORLD SURE TO EXTERMINATE
Bugs, Roaches, Ants, Moths, Fleas, Mosquitoes, Rats and Mice, and all other Vermin and insects.
For sale by the inventor, JOSEPH MEYER, practical chemist, No. 612 Broadway, corner of Houston-st.

Ho! for the Green Fields.—The (Ladies) Can't-Get-Away Club is likely to lose a good many of its members this season, for almost everybody is preparing to visit the country. Before you start, visit CANTRELL'S, No. 813 Broadway, between 11th and 12th sts, and make your selections of boots, gaiters, &c. His stock is large and valuable, and he is selling now cheaper than ever.

Aquaria! Aquaria!
Just received, a fine lot of gold fish, and a variety of other kinds for the Aquarium. Best found in the City. Tanks of all sizes and prices at the Aquarium. Dépôt No 52 Fulton-st. B. GREENWOOD.

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For DRESSING, BEAUTIFYING, CLEANING, CURLING, PRESERVING, and RESTORING THE HAIR. Ladies, try it. For sale by all druggists and perfumers.

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Dodworth's Dancing Academy, No. 806 Broadway.—All present and former pupils are respectfully invited to attend the last lesson of the season, on SATURDAY, May 28th. Children at 3 P. M., Ladies and Gentlemen at 8 P. M.

The Spirited Originality of White's superb Hats has become a proverb. His most brilliant hit this season is the universally-popular Dress Cassimere—pearl and blue—which is attracting crowds to his new store, No. 216 Broadway, under Barnum's Museum.

Geo. Saunders' Metallic Tablet Razor Strop.—This inimitable article may be obtained of the sole manufacturers, J. & S. SAUNDERS, No. 7 Astor House, and of the various agents throughout the City.

Finkle & Lyon's Family Sewing Machines.—Warranted to give better satisfaction than any other machine in this market, or money refunded.
P. S.—Send for a Circular. No. 503 Broadway.

Clerkships are Crowded, while Useful trades go begging, because young men do not understand their true vocation. FOWLER & WELLS, No. 308 Broadway, should be consulted phrenologically.

McLaughlin's Improved French Yoke Shirts.—Ready made or made to measure. Store No. 269 Greenwich-st., corner of Murray.

MARRIED.

WHITE—NELSON.—In this City, on Tuesday, May 24, at the Madison-square Presbyterian Church, by the Rev. T. H. Skinner, D. D., ERSKINE N. WHITE and ELIZA T., daughter of John G. Nelson, all of this City.

NICHOLSON—VEITCH.—In this City, on Tuesday, May 24, by the Rev. Dr. Thompson, Mr. JAMES NICHOLSON, of Kelso, Scotland, to Miss ELIZA VEITCH, of this City.

BULL—BARKER.—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday, May 25, by the Rev. J. H. Perry, at the residence of the bride's father, in Clinton av., COURTLANDT P. HULL to HENRIETTA W., daughter of E. C. Barker.

DIED.

DENISON.—In this City, on Wednesday, May 25, WILLIAM DENISON, in the 40th year of his age.

Funeral services at the 43d st. M. E. Church, near 8th-av., on Friday, May 27, at 9 o'clock A. M. His remains will be taken to Wilmington, Del., by the 11 o'clock A. M. train. The friends of the family are invited to attend his funeral, without any further invitation.

VAN BUSKIRK.—In this City, on Wednesday, May 25, Mrs. HELEN MCQUILLAN, daughter of the late Philetus Van Buskirk, in the 32d year of her age.

Funeral this (Thursday) morning, at 9 o'clock, from No 16 Clarkson-st. Her remains will be taken to Greenwood for interment.

MOTT.—In this City, on Tuesday, May 24, JOSIAH C. MOTT, aged 45 years.

The friends and relatives are invited to attend the funeral, this day, (Thursday,) at 2 o'clock precisely, from his late residence, No. 311 West 22d st.

DUSENBERRY.—In this City, on Wednesday, May 25, CARRIE E., infant daughter of Edmond and Caroline E. Dusenberry.

The friends and relatives of the family are invited to attend the funeral, this (Thursday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock, from No. 128 West 19th-st.

DOUGAN.—In this City, WILLIAM DOUGAN, aged 17 years and 27 days.

The friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from the residence of his mother, No. 658 6th-av., this day, (Thursday,) at 2 o'clock P. M.

TROWBRIDGE.—On Wednesday evening, May 25, HENRY TROWBRIDGE, in the 62d year of his year.

Notice of the funeral will be given to-morrow.

GALE.—In Brooklyn, on Tuesday, May 24, NATHAN ALONZO GALE, aged 21 years, 5 months and 7 days.

The funeral will take place this day, (Thursday,) at 3 o'clock P. M., from his late residence, No. 14 Joralemon-st. His friends and relatives, and those of his father, A. H. Gale, are respectfully invited to attend. His remains will be taken to Greenwood for interment.

☞ Rochester papers please copy.

SHELDEN.—In Brooklyn, on Tuesday, May 24, HELLEN M. E., wife of Henry Shelden, and daughter of Henry Evans, of Deposit.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend her funeral, at No. 78 Pierrepont-st., Brooklyn, this day, (Thursday,) at 3 o'clock P. M.

DRAYTON.—At Jersey City, on Wednesday, May 25, SAMUEL WISWALL, second son of John B. and Adelaide D. Drayton, aged 4 years, 4 months and 4 days.

The friends of the family are requested to attend the funeral, this day, (Thursday,) at 2½ o'clock P. M., from No. 191 Montgomery-st.

BELSHAW.—At Montgomery, Ala., suddenly, Ex-Alderman BELSHAW, late Acting Mayor of Montgomery, in the 37th year of his age—son of the late Redman Belshaw, Esq., of Grafton st., Dublin, and of the late Mrs. Belshaw, of Bedford-av., Brooklyn.

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The law is that a person who purchases or uses a patented article is equally liable for infringement with the maker of it. The "makers" having fairly notified the "users" of their intention not to pay, the "users" have only themselves to blame if I collect my tariff of them.—as I shall certainly do. THADDEUS HYATT.
NEW-YORK, January, 1859.

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Manufacturers of iron railing of all kinds for dwellings, cemeteries, parks, stores, offices, &c.
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Have in store and offer for sale a full assortment of
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LEWIS' HARDWARE STORE, No. 169 Canal-st., second block from Bowery, towards Broadway. A fine assortment of the best Carpenters' Tools, Cut Nails, Housekeepers' Hardware, &c., now opening. Call and examine.

TO PROPERTY HOLDERS AND OTHERS ABOUT ERECTING OR ALTERING BUILDINGS.—Iron building fronts, with and without rolling shutters; interior columns; wrought and cast iron girders and beams; illuminating tile and vault covers; iron shutters and doors; court-yard and office railing; iron doors and window lintels and sills, about one-third the price of brown stone.
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Architectural Iron Works,
Nos. 55 to 67 Goerck-st., New-York.
East Broadway stages pass in rear of office; South st. stages pass in front of the office. Manufacturers of the iron work of *Daily Times* Building and balance of the block; Union Bank, Nos. 498 and 500 Broadway, &c., &c. Particular attention paid to vault extensions and other alterations. References—*Daily Times* vault, *Express* vault, 21st-st. and Broadway vault, &c.
N. B.—Every description of fine Iron Work for building purposes.

THE LADIES ARE DELIGHTED WITH the new Patent Ice Breakers: Giffin's patent and Rowe's patent. Buy one, take it home, and try the experiment. For sale by all hardware dealers; manufactured by F. STEVENS, No. 229 Pearl-st., up stairs.

RELIANCE FIRE REGULATOR—FOR SAVing fuel in steam-boilers. The most sensitive and efficient instrument of the kind. CHAS. W. COPELAND, No. 66 Broadway, N. Y.

RUSSIA SHEET IRON—500 PACKS, ASSORTED numbers, for sale, in lots to suit purchasers, at very low prices. A. A. THOMSON & CO., No. 215 Water-st.

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NORWAY IRON—STAMPS N. AND F. V., BEST quality, for railroads. For sale by C. E. HABICHT, No. 127 Pearl st.

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PUBLIC MEETINGS.

LIGHT GUARD.
ARMORY, LAFAYETTE HALL, NEW-YORK, May 25, 1859.
A Special Meeting of the Light Guard will be held at the Armory, on THURSDAY EVENING, May 26, at 8 o'clock. S. MILFORD BLATCHFORD, Secretary.

AMERICAN INSTITUTE POLYTECHNIC ASSOCIATION meets at the new Repository in the Cooper Building, in Room No. 24, corner of 8th-st. and 4th-av., on THURSDAY, May 26, at 7½ o'clock P. M. Subject—*Manufactures of Steel and of Malleable Iron.* Strangers are always especially welcome. Admission is always free to all. Meetings hereafter on Thursdays. H. MEIGS, Secretary.

AN ORATION ON THE OCCASION OF THE death of A. GERALD HULL, M. D., will be delivered by S. B. BARLOW, M. D., at the Historical Society Building, corner of 2d-av. and 11th-st., on THURSDAY EVENING, the 26th inst., at 8 o'clock. The friends of the late Dr. HULL, and the public, are invited to attend.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SOCIETY for the Relief of Destitute Children of Seamen will take place at the Home, Staten Island, THURSDAY, May 26, at 12 o'clock. The Yearly Report will be received and the officers elected for the ensuing year. The friends of the Institution are requested to attend. Visitors will take the 10 o'clock Brighton boat.

HORSES AND CARRIAGES.

FOR SALE—A SPLENDID PAIR OF YOUNG Morgan horses, about 15½ hands high; sound and kind in single or double harness; stylish drivers and good travelers; will be sold reasonable together or separate. Can be seen at Smith's Stables, No. 4 Rivington-st., this week. For further particulars, address Box No. 1,800 Post-office.

LOST AND FOUND.

CAUTION.—LOST OR STOLEN, TWO CERTIFIcates of deposit, made by the undersigned for $1,000 each, in favor of Frederick Moller, dated May 9. All persons are forbid using or selling them, as payment has been stopped at the Oriental Bank in this City. The above were lost or stolen between this City and Detroit, Michigan. CHARLES KOSTER, No. 2 Broome-st.
NEW-YORK, May 25, 1859.

LOST—ON MAY 24, A GOLD WATCH SEAL AND BUCKLE, between Genin's Bazaar, No. 513 Broadway, and Dr. Parker's office, No. 37 12th-st., or between the IIId District Court, Greenwich av., and the Bazaar, for which the finder will be liberally rewarded by returning it to Genin's Bazaar.

$25 REWARD.—LOST, ON TUESDAY, 24TH May, a lady's GOLD HUNTING WATCH AND CHAIN, enameled case, set in diamonds. The finder will receive $25 reward on leaving the same with E. R. BENNET, No. 82 Duane-st.

$10 REWARD OFFERED FOR THE REturn of a long-haired, small, dark yellow DOG; answers to the name of Fox; lost or stolen last Friday, in Winfield, near Newtown, L. I. Apply at No. 25 Beaver-st. and the reward will be paid.

BOARDING.

BOARDING—A LARGE FRONT ROOM OR THE whole of the second floor to let, with board, to a gentleman and wife or a party of gentlemen; also a single room for a gentleman; house first-class and easy of access by car or stage, and very pleasantly located. A Southern family will find this a very pleasant place for the Summer. Terms moderate. Apply at No. [illegible] West 31st-st.

BOARDING.—TO LET, VERY COMFORTABLE rooms on second and third floors, with good board, suitable for married or single gentlemen; bath, gas, &c.; location central and convenient; stages pass the door. To permanent boarders they would be let on moderate terms. Apply at No. 79 9th-st., near 5th-av.

BOARDING.—A GENTLEMAN AND HIS WIFE can have a desirable room and board in a private family, residing in one of the most pleasant and healthy portions of Newark, N. J. Location convenient to the dépôts, and on an omnibus route. Address B. R., Box No. 2,447 New-York Post-office.

BOARDING.—A FEW FIRST-CLASS BOARDERS can be accommodated with pleasant rooms and board at Dr. SHEPARD'S establishment, No. 51 Morton-st., English basement house, between Hudson and Bleecker. Location quiet and very desirable.

BOARDING.—A LARGE FRONT ROOM, WITH bedroom adjoining, suitable for one or two single gentlemen, can be had with partial board at No. 74 McDougal-st., between Houston and Bleecker sts.

BOARD IN BROOKLYN—ROOMS TO LET, TO single gentlemen or gentlemen and their wives; location near the ferries. Dinner at 6 o'clock. Apply at No. 65 Nassau-st.

BOARDING—AT NOS. 45, 47 AND 49 EAST Broadway, for families or single gentlemen. Also day boarders. E. BOUTON.

BOARD IN HOBOKEN.—A PRIVATE FAMILY having more room than they require, would like to let a pleasant front parlor and chamber to a gentleman and his wife or two gentlemen. The house is pleasantly located, in a highly respectable neighborhood, and is but a short distance from the ferry. Apply at No. — Clifford-place, Hoboken.

BOARD IN BROOKLYN.—PLEASANT FURnished rooms on the second floor, suitable for a few gentlemen, or a small family, may be obtained at No. 79 Joralemon-st., between Clinton and Henry sts., in a delightful location, near the Wall-st. Ferry. References exchanged.

A SMALL FAMILY WILL LET AN ELEgant Parlor, furnished or unfurnished, or a pleasant suite of rooms; an excellent locality for a physician, family, or single gentlemen, with board. House has all modern improvements, closets, pantries, &c. Apply at No. 320 4th-st., 2d block west of Broadway. Good reference given and required.

NO. 281 HUDSON-STREET.—BOARDING.—Handsomely furnished rooms in suites or single, with board or without. This house has all the modern improvements, and location pleasant. Persons desiring the comforts of a home will be pleased with the arrangement. 8th-av. cars pass the door, and within one block of Canal-st.

BROOKLYN.—A FAMILY STRICTLY PRIVATE having a suite of rooms on the second floor, is desirous of letting them, with board, to an aged couple or more, who are willing to pay liberally and can appreciate all the comforts, respect and affection that is due to elderly people. Address W. P., Box No. 153 *Times* Office.

A SINGLE GENTLEMAN WANTS A pleasant furnished room without board in a respectable and quiet private family. Location from 8th to 16th sts., between Broadway and 2d av. Address F. SMITH, Box No. 157 *Times* Office.

NO. 174 WEST TWENTY-FIRST-STREET.—Board for single gentlemen and families; a suite of rooms on second floor with spacious closets; very desirable as a Summer residence; back parlor on first floor, furnished or unfurnished.

BOARD WANTED—FOR A FAMILY OF PERsons, on the Hudson River, not above Yonkers, where there are no other boarders taken; also stabling for a pair of horses. Address, stating terms and location, H. H. Y., Box No. 128 *Times* Office.

BOARD WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN, IN THE vicinity of Clinton-av., Brooklyn; terms moderate. Address B., Box No. 4,177 Post-office.

FURNISHED ROOMS—SINGLE OR IN SUITES with or without board, can be obtained at moderate rates, at No. 85 East 31st-st. Best references given and required.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS WITHOUT BOARD, to gentlemen only. The rooms are large, pleasant and well-furnished. Apply at No. 24 East Broadway.

SUMMER RESORTS.

NEWPORT.

The FILLMORE HOUSE will be opened on the 30th inst., for the season. The proprietor wishes to inform the former visitors to his Hotel and the public generally, that the better to insure the comfort and satisfaction of his guests, he has, since the last season, supplied with gas all the principal rooms, not furnished with it last year, and has made great improvement in the bedding, the hotel being now, in a great measure, furnished with the best of Spring Beds. To obviate the objections often made to the water used for drinking purposes, a large cistern has been arranged for the supply of pure filtered rain water.

The proprietor further asserts that the appointments of his Hotel shall be such as to please all visitors, and that the order, cleanliness and general arrangement of the Fillmore House are not to be surpassed by any similar "institution."

Music will be furnished by the "Germanians," under the direction of Mr. Wm. Schultze.

COUNTRY BOARD.

The Valley House, Staatsburgh, will be opened for Summer boarders June 1. Three hours from the City, per Hudson River Railroad; within two minutes of the Dépôt, where trains stop eight times a day. House new; location and rooms unexceptionable; drives and scenery unsurpassed; accommodations for horses and carriages on place. For particulars, address D. H. MULFORD, Staatsburg, Dutchess Co., N. Y.

SUMMER RETREAT—THE LAKE MOHEGAN HOUSE is now open, and having undergone extensive improvements, being enlarged and refurnished, the proprietor is now ready to enter into arrangements for the season with families and others who desire a pleasant location near the City during the heat and dust of summer. The house is situated four miles east of Peekskill, forty miles from New York by the Hudson River Railroad, in two hours; six trains a day each way. Carriages from every train to the house.

Being at the head of the Lake, 1,100 feet above tide water, in full view of the Highlands of the Hudson, with fine drives and pleasant walks in every direction, it is one of the most desirable and accessible summer retreats that can be found so near New York.

Address A. W. PALMER, Peekskill Post-office.
Refers to Messrs. Tiffany & Co., Broadway; J. Winter, Banker, No. 44 Exchange-place; H. B. Cowles, No. 14 Beekman-st.

FRASCATTI HOTEL, HAVRE.—MONS. LEGEAIRDRE, the new proprietor of this magnificent hotel, desires to announce to the gentry and family tourists, that the Frascatti is replete with every comfort. Apartments with 600 beds, at all prices; splendid gardens and reading rooms, with journals from all nations; café and billiard saloons. The table d'hote is supplied with every luxury—oysters from beds in the sea, hot, cold, fresh and salt water baths in the hotel, stables attached, omnibus to the railway stations, and, on the arrival of steamers, a commissionaire from the hotel attends passengers to pass their baggage and passports. A Booking Office to all parts of the continent, in the hotel.

DELIGHTFUL SUMMER RETREAT.—THE fine new edifice of the Rockland Female Institute, located at Nyack, on the Hudson, will be opened for the entertainment of select family boarders during the Summer vacation in July and August.

To persons desiring an easily accessible Summer retreat, which combines the comforts and conveniences of the City with the charms of the country, this place probably offers more advantages and attractions than can be found elsewhere in such close proximity to New-York.

For particulars call at the Institute, or address L. D. & C. F. MANSFIELD.

COUNTRY BOARD.—FINE LARGE ROOMS TO let, with board, in a private family for the Summer. The location is very pleasant and healthy. Salt water bathing, fishing, &c.; churches and schools near; one and a half hours' ride from the City by New Haven Railroad. For particulars, address A. H., Box No. 162 *Times* Office.

COUNTRY BOARD AT STAMFORD, CONN.—One or two small families can be accommodated with board in a new and very pleasant house; this affords an opportunity not often met with, for any party wishing to pay a fair compensation to make an agreeable arrangement for the Summer. For particulars, reference is permitted to Geo. L. Brown, No. 11 Wall-st.

WANTED—AT KINGSTON, N. Y., 90 MILES from the City, four or five adult boarders, for the whole or part of the Summer, by a private family; terms reasonable; persons attending evangelical churches preferred. House pleasantly situated in the village; accessible by Hudson River Railroad and steamboat *Thomas Powell*. Call for, or address, X., Box 161 *Times* Office.

PLEASANT VIEW HOUSE—BERGEN POINT, N. J.—This desirable Summer residence is now open for the season; parties wishing to secure rooms will please call and examine the premises. Access almost every hour in the day from Pier No. 2 North River, by steamboats *Red Jacket* and *Wyoming*. JOHN M. ENYARD, Proprietor.

RICHFIELD SPRINGS.—THE SPRING HOtel at Richfield Springs, will be open for the reception of boarders on the 1st day of June; additional accommodations have been added to it. Two Sulphur Water Bathing Houses, one for ladies and the other for gentlemen, belong to the house. JOSHUA WHITNEY.

BOARDING AT A FARM HOUSE.—FAMIlies wishing the comforts of a farm mansion, can find desirable accommodations, immediately, in the large house of the subscriber, near Glen Cove, L. I. All communications addressed to CHARLES UNDERHILL, Glen Cove, will have prompt attention.

BOARD CAN BE OBTAINED FOR THE Summer months in the pleasant village of Fishkill, with good accommodations for carriages and horses. For terms, address M. L., Fishkill, Dutchess County, New-York.

BOARD AT ORANGE, N. J.—A PRIVATE family will accommodate several boarders, (without servants;) very pleasant rooms; location in the village, near railroad dépôt and stage lines. Address M. B., Orange Post-office.

THE FOREST HOUSE, BUDD'S LAKE, Schooley's Mountain, N. J., will be opened for the reception of guests on the 1st June. *Via* Morris and Essex Railroad, to Stanhope station, two miles to the Forest House. J. M. SHARPE & CO., Proprietors.

BOARDING IN CORNWALL, N. Y.—MADAM BRUTTKAY will take a select number of boarders during her school vacation, (from end of June.) References: J. B. Kitching, No. 164 Duane-st., and Wm. B. Davidson, President-st., three doors from Fulton st.

COUNTRY BOARD—ON THE HUDSON RIVER, very near steamboat and railroad. Desirable accommodations for one or two small families, at moderate prices. Inquire at No. 163 Lexington-av., between 31st and 32d sts.

BOARD AT NORTH ORANGE.—A PRIVATE family would accommodate a limited number of persons. Location near mountain and dépôt. Address, for one week, J. O. S., Box No. 92 Post-office, New-York.

SUMMER BOARDING.—THE ASHLAND HALL Summer Boarding House, West Bloomfield, N. J., is now open for the reception of boarders. Apply to WARREN MINGUS, Proprietor, on the premises.

SAFES FOR SALE.—THREE SECOND SAFES—Wilders & Herrings' Patent; two Jewelers' Safes, with numbered knobs, 54 and 12 drawers. Cheap for cash, at No. 98 Maiden-lane.

AUCTION SALES.

W. B. WESTCOTT, Auctioneer.
COSTLY ROSEWOOD FURNITURE AT PUBLIC AUCTION,
THIS DAY, (Thursday,) at 11 o'clock precisely,
At the residence No. 152 West 21st st., between 7th and 8th avs., embracing the entire rich and costly furniture of the house, all of which is first-class, having been made to order three months ago, and to be publicly sold without reserve, magnificent vases, bronzes, marble groups, superb paintings, statuary, and elegant piano forte. The furniture consists in part of three full suites rosewood parlor furniture, two covered in rich four colored brocade, one in hair cloth, all with solid rosewood frames and very richly carved, splendid rosewood 7 octave piano forte, stool and cover, elegant rosewood etageres with mirror fronts and marble tops, splendid pier mirrors, rosewood centre, sofa and pier tables, handsomely carved, silk and lace curtains, rich gold and velvet shades, English tapestry carpets, rosewood corner stands with mirror backs, French escritoires, mantel vases, bronzes, Morning, Day and Night, Columbus, &c.; statuary of Milton, Flora, Music, &c.; superb collection of paintings, including works by Lanier, Eylis, Huntington and other eminent artists, on glass and canvas.

CHAMBERS.

Rosewood bedsteads, bureaus, washstands, commodes, French toilet sets, hair mattresses, beds, blankets, and oval mirrors, bronze clocks, rockers, Turkish chairs and lounges to match.

DINING-ROOM.

Extension table, oak chairs, rich silver ware, French and Berlin china ruby engraved glassware, ivory cutlery, castors, dining and tea sets, forks, table spoons, &c., with a large assortment of mahogany chamber furniture of all kinds, sofa bedsteads, &c., all in perfect order, and must be removed immediately after the sale, which will be positive, rain or shine.

A. H. NICOLAY, Auctioneer.
TO TEACHERS, HOTEL KEEPERS AND CAPITALISTS.
That splendid property in Flushing, Long Island, known as
ST. THOMAS' HALL,
And lately occupied as a flourishing Female College, under the supervision of Rev. William H. Gilder, A. M., will be sold at public auction, at the Merchants' Exchange, New-York, on Wednesday, June 1, at 12 o'clock, M. It consists of the extensive College buildings, President's house, Professors' colleges, and the elegantly ornamented grounds, in the most beautiful part of the village, only 3 minutes' walk from the Railroad dépôt, and 40 minutes from Fulton Market Slip, and 30 minutes from the 34th st. ferry, New-York. For an extensive seminary, Summer boarding house, or first-class hotel, the situation is unrivaled. The sale will be peremptory. For maps, engraved views of the hall, and a full description of the property, with terms of sale, &c. Apply to A. H. NICOLAY, No. 4 Broad-st., New-York.

JOSEPH HEGEMAN, AUCTIONEER.
FRIDAY, MAY 27,
At 10 o'clock A. M., at the Central Salesrooms, Willoughby, corner Pearl-st., Brooklyn.
REGULAR WEEKLY SALE.—A large and general assortment of second hand furniture—Gothic walnut suite in green plush, 14 pieces, two tête-à-têtes, two arm chairs, ten chairs, sofas, sofa bedsteads, lounges, mahogany and walnut bedsteads, pier glasses, mahogany and other extension tables, dressing bureaus, mattresses, gas fixtures, &c., &c.
At 2 o'clock P. M.,
Velvet, Brussels, 3 ply and ingrain carpets.
At 4 o'clock P. M.
Three handsome mahogany show cases with silver-plated bars and plate glass; one upright do.; one regulator clock, silver-plated tea sets, cake baskets, castors, spoons, forks, &c., &c.
After which will be continued the sale of fine gold jewelry, to which the attention of buyers is called, as the goods are of the best quality.

HENRY T. LEEDS, Auctioneer.
HENRY T. LEEDS WILL SELL THIS DAY, Thursday, at No 61 West 25th-st., household furniture, pearl-keyed piano-forte, gold frame oil paintings, pier glass, lace curtains, &c.
This day, at the residence near 5th-av., I will sell the entire contents of the above house, commencing at 10½ o'clock, with the basement and dining-room furniture, by catalogue, part of which is viz: One oak extension dining table, cane seat chairs, carpet, mirror, shades, sofa, and a large and valuable lot of French China, tea and dinner ware; also silver plated tea, dessert, dinner knives, forks and spoons, cut-glass tumblers, goblets and wines.
PIANO-FORTE—Splendid 7-octave solid pearl-keyed piano, round corners, of rich tone, and warranted by the makers—16 months of guarantee yet to run; attention is particularly called to this instrument; three rich suites of brocatel covered parlor furniture, solid rosewood frames; rich Parian statuettes and vases, lace curtains, gold band shades, rosewood marble-top etagere and corner-stand, with Parian figures; gold frame pier-glass and console, bronze and ormolu chandeliers, tapestry and Brussels carpets, with rugs to match; with several valuable oil-paintings by well known artists.
The chambers have rosewood and mahogany bedsteads, rich carved rosewood bureaus and washstands, with mirrors and commodes; toilet sets, spring and hair mattresses, and the usual bedding. Catalogues will be ready at 8½ o'clock, when the whole may be examined. Sale without reserve or regard to weather. An express will be on hand to pack, cart or ship, as required. H. T. LEEDS, auctioneer, Nos. 5 and 13 Cooper Institute.

ALBERT H. NICOLAY, Auctioneer.
REGULAR AUCTION SALE OF STOCKS AND BONDS.—ALBERT H. NICOLAY will sell THIS DAY, May 26, at 12½ o'clock, P. M., at the Merchants' Exchange:
North River, Phenix, St. Nicholas and Farmers' and Citizens' Bank Stocks; Lenox, North River, Tradesmen's, Mercantile Mutual, Firemen's, Great Western Marine, Jersey City, Kings County, Columbian Marine, and Metropolitan Fire Ins. Stocks; Atlantic Mutual Insurance Scrip of 1858 and 1859; Wells, Fargo & Co's Express, Callaway Mining, Cherokee Mining, U. S. S. Sugar Refining, American Guano, American Coal and Syracuse and Oswego R. Stocks; a note of Stillman, Allen & Co.; New-York and New Haven R. 6 p. c.; Fort Madison Town 8 p. c.; Racine and Miss R. 8 p. c.; Henry County (Iowa) 8 p. c.; Berlin City (Wis.) 8 p. c.; and Hancock County (Ill.) 8 p. c. Bonds.
Securities received in addition to the regularly-advertised list during every sale. Next regular sale, MONDAY, May 30. Regular auction sales of Stocks and Bonds every Monday and Thursday, or every day whenever required, at 12½ o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange. Stocks and bonds bought and sold at private sale, and at the Brokers' Board. Interest allowed on deposits and dividends collected. A large variety of bank and insurance stocks; also, other securities constantly on hand at private sale.
ALBERT H. NICOLAY,
Stock Auctioneer, Broker and Banker, No. 4 Broad-st.

J. W. PORTER, Auctioneer.
IMPORTANT AUCTION NOTICE.—ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE—Costly rosewood piano-forte, superbly carved, double round, pearl keys, rich carved legs; solid rosewood parlor furniture, en suite; heavy French plate mantel and pier mirrors, &c., &c.—THIS DAY, May 26, at 10½ o'clock precisely, at the elegant five-story residence No. 218 West 14th-st., between 8th and 9th avs., all the costly furniture contained therein, consisting in part of two rosewood piano-fortes, elegant parlor suites, etageres, centre and other tables, lace curtains, large mirrors, oil-paintings, sofas, lounges, sofa-beds, beds and bedding, hair mattresses, rosewood and mahogany bedsteads, marble-top bureaus, washstands, toilet sets, carpets, clocks, china ware, silver ware, cut-glass ware, cutlery, tea and dining tables. Also, a large quantity of other valuable furniture. Sale positive.

H. H. LEEDS, Auctioneer—Salesroom No. 23 Nassau-st.
VALUABLE OIL-PAINTINGS.—HENRY H. LEEDS & CO. will sell at auction, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY, May 26 and 27, at 11 o'clock each day, at their gallery over the salesroom No. 23 Nassau-st., embracing a collection from a private source. In this collection may be found the works of Koster, Opden, Hoff, Scheuren, A. Ostade, Koeboeck, H. G. Ten Cate, Van Huysum, Hoesigh, J. Bergmann, Verpoecken, Dommelsheizen, Backelear Koester, De Munter, G. Metzer Verboeen, Bamsen, together with a life-size picture of Richard III enticing the youngest child of Edward III. from his mother, Elizabeth, into the Westminster Abbey," painted by the celebrated Dusseldorf painter, L. Toluissaint. This collection is now on exhibition, and can be examined with catalogue.

EDWARD SCHENCK, Auctioneer.
PEREMPTORY SALE OF ELEGANT NEW and second-hand furniture, by E. & F. H. SCHENCK, THIS DAY, 26th inst., at 10½ o'clock, at their salesroom No. 33 Nassau-st., embracing carved rosewood and mahogany parlor suites, in brocade, brocatel, velvet, haircloth and reps; rosewood and mahogany dressing-bureaus, washstands and commodes, with marble tops; rosewood and mahogany sofas, Voltaire and easy chairs, bedsteads, wardrobes, bookcases, oak dining-room furniture, of new and elegant designs; black walnut chamber suites, rosewood marble top side and corner etageres, with plate-glass backs and doors; rosewood and mahogany corner-stands, what-nots, book-racks, &c.

A. J. BLEECKER, Auctioneer.
PEREMPTORY SALE TO CLOSE AN ESTATE, 7TH-AV. AND 57TH-ST.—A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO. will sell, on MONDAY, May 30, at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange:
ON 7TH AV.—The large gore west side, 72-3 south 57th-st.
ON 7TH-AV.—Corner 57th-st., 1 gore lot.
ON 57TH ST.—1 lot south side, 325 feet west 6th-av. The position of the above property, in its relation to the great Park, renders it very desirable. Maps, &c., at Nos. 7 and 9 Pine-st.

M. DOUGHTY, Auctioneer.
WILL SELL, THIS DAY, AT 10½ O'CLOCK at No. 1 Bridge-st., corner of State-st., opposite the Battery, by virtue of a chattel mortgage, all the household furniture contained in the large boarding-house, consisting of velvet, Brussels 3-ply and ingrain carpets, centre tables, bureaus, washstands, bedsteads, hair mattresses, bedding, feather beds, chairs, gas chandeliers, gas pipes, Bebee's patent range, water-boiler, &c., together with a large assortment of basement and kitchen furniture. Deposits required from all parties unknown to the auctioneer.

EDWARD H. LUDLOW, Auctioneer.
ABSOLUTE SALE OF TWO VALUABLE houses in Grand st., Brooklyn, late Williamsburgh.—E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell, at auction, on FRIDAY, May 27, at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, New-York. Grand-st.—The two-story and attic frame house No. 34 Grand st., near 1st-st.; also, Grand-st., the two attic frame houses Nos. 281 and 282½ Grand-st.; lot 25 by 100 feet. Terms easy. Maps and full particulars at the auctioneer's office, No. 14 Pine st., New-York.

HENRY H. LEEDS, Auctioneer—Salesroom 23 Nassau-st.
HENRY H. LEEDS & CO. WILL SELL at auction on THURSDAY, May 26, at 12 o'clock, in front of the store, No. 23 Nassau-st., for account of whom it may concern, the well-known and celebrated saddle-horse Metamora, well trained in every respect, kind and gentle in all kinds of harness, together with saddle, harness, bridle, martingale, blankets, &c., &c., belonging to the above. Sale peremptory.

PEED & COLE, Auctioneers.
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HARDWARE.—JNO. E. VAN ANTWERP'S regular trade sale of hardware, cutlery, &c., will commence THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock, at No. 73 William-st., amongst which are American hatchets, axes, rules, &c.; also 250 gross matches, 14 boxes sand stones, 10 cases double-coated scythe rifles; also an invoice of Birmingham patterns and part of a stock.

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THE BONDS OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS, Ohio, issued to the Cleveland, Columbus and Cincinnati Railroad Company, and by said Company indorsed, falling due on the 1st day of June, 1859, payable at the City Treasury in the City of Columbus, Ohio, will be paid at the Park Bank, in the City of New-York, on and after that date, less Three quarters per cent. for Exchange, or at the City Treasury, in Columbus, Ohio, at the option of the holder. CHAS. A. MACY, Cashier. PARK BANK, New-York, May 23, 1859.

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ARCTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 29 Wall-st., New-York, May 24, 1859. THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR DIRECTORS of this Company will be held at this office on TUESDAY, the 7th day of June next. The Polls will be open from 12 M. to 1 P. M. Transfer Books will be closed from the 27th inst. until after the Election. RICHARD A. OAKLEY, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE CUMBERLAND COAL AND IRON CO., CORNER OF BROADWAY AND WALL-STREET, New-York, May 23 1859. THE TRANSFER BOOKS OF THIS COMPANY will be closed from May 27 to June 6, inclusive. The annual meeting of the Stockholders will be held at this office, on MONDAY, the 6th day of June, at 12 M. By order. RICHARD H. PHIPPS, Secretary.

BANK OF THE COMMONWEALTH, New-York, May 21, 1859. THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR SIXTEEN Directors of this Bank, and for three Inspectors of the next succeeding election, will be held at the Banking-room on MONDAY, the 6th day of June, between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock. By order of the Board of Directors. GEORGE ELLIS, Cashier.

METROPOLITAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 108 Broadway, New-York, May 10, 1859. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Directors of this Company have, this day, declared a Semi-annual Dividend of Six per Cent. on the Capital Stock thereof, payable on and after the 20th day of May, instant, until which day the Transfer Books are closed. E. A. STANSBURY, Secretary.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, New-York, May 16, 1859. AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, held this day, a Dividend of Ten per Cent. was declared out of the profits of the Company, payable on and after Monday, May 23. The transfer books will be closed until after that date. By order of the Board. FREDERIC HOFFMAN, Secretary.

NOTICE.—A FINAL AND ONLY DIVIDEND HAS this day been declared on the non-preferred indebtedness of THOMAS S. HAYDEN, payable on demand at the office of H. H. BUTTERWORTH, Assignee, No. 41 Broadway. New-York, May 21, 1859.

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NEW-YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD. SPRING ARRANGEMENT. On and after Wednesday, April 6, 1859, Trains will leave 26th st., Station, New-York, as follows:
7.45 A. M. for Williams Bridge.
8.30 A. M. Mail Train for Albany.
9.30 A. M. for Williams Bridge.
11.30 A. M. for White Plains.
2.30 P. M. for Williams Bridge.
4 P. M. for Dover Plains.
5 P. M. for White Plains
8.15 P. M. for White Plains, from White and Centre sts.
8.30 P. M. for Williams Bridge.
RETURNING, WILL LEAVE
5 A. M. from White Plains.
5 30 A. M. from Dover Plains.
6.40 A. M. from Williams Bridge.
7 A. M. from White Plains.
8.45 A. M. Mail Train from Albany.
9.30 A. M. from Williams Bridge.
1 P. M. from Williams Bridge.
3 P. M. from White Plains
5 P. M. from Williams Bridge.
WM. J. CAMPBELL, Superintendent.

NEW-YORK AND ERIE RAILROAD.—ON and after MONDAY, April 4, 1859, and until further notice, Passenger Trains will leave Pier foot of Duane-st. as follows, viz: Dunkirk Express, at 6 A. M., for Dunkirk and Buffalo, and principal intermediate stations. Mail Train, at 8 A. M., for Dunkirk and Buffalo, and intermediate stations. Rockland Passenger, at 3:30 P. M., from foot of Harrison-st., via Piermont, for Sufferns and intermediate stations. Way Passenger, at 4 P. M., for Newburgh, Middletown and intermediate stations. Night Express, at 5 P. M., for Dunkirk and Buffalo. The above trains run daily, Sundays excepted. These Express Trains connect at Elmira with the Elmira, Canandaigua and Niagara Falls Railroad, for Niagara Falls; at Binghamton with the Syracuse and Binghamton Railroad, for Syracuse; at Corning with the Buffalo, Corning and New-York Railroad, for Rochester and Buffalo; at Great Bend with the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, for Scranton; at Hornellsville with the Buffalo and New-York City Railroad; and at Buffalo and Dunkirk with the Lake Shore Railroad, for Cleveland, Cincinnati, Toledo, Detroit, Chicago, &c. CHARLES MORAN, President.

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HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD.—FROM MAY 9 1859, Trains will leave Chambers-st. Station as follows: Express Trains 6 and 11 A. M. and 5 P. M.; for Hudson 7:15 A. M.; for Sing Sing 10 A. M. and 4 and 10:30 P. M.; for Poughkeepsie 1:15 and 3:20 P. M.; for Tarrytown 2:45 and 6:45 P. M.; for Peekskill 5:30 P. M. The Hudson, Poughkeepsie, Peekskill, Sing Sing and Tarrytown Trains stop at most of the Way Stations. Passengers taken at Chambers, Canal, Christopher, and 31st sts. Trains for New York leave Troy at 4:45 and 8:30 A. M., and 3:45 P. M., and Albany about 15 minutes later. On Sundays at 6 P. M. A. F. SMITH, Superintendent.

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NEW-YORK AND FLUSHING RAILROAD—Leaves Fulton Market Wharf, by steamer MATTANO, at 9 A. M., and 1, 3:45, 5:45 and 7:30 P. M. The cars leave Flushing at 6:30, 7:55 and 10 A. M., and 2:30, 4:55 and 6:40 P. M., connecting passengers with the boat at Hunter's Point. Fare 25 cents. WM. N. SMITH, Superintendent.

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MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW-YORK. OFFICE NO. 84 BROADWAY.

QUARTERLY STATEMENT of the Affairs of the MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW-YORK for the quarter ending April 30, 1859:

Assets Jan. 31, 1859, per Report		$5,188,933 42
Less paid for taxes for 1851 and 1852		37,431 67
Total		$5,151,501 75
RECEIPTS DURING THE QUARTER.		
For Premiums	$263,724 56	
For Interest	3,781 35	—267,505 91
Total		$5,419,007 66
DISBURSEMENTS.		
Paid for claims by death and additions	$111,015 00	
Paid for Surrendered Policies	13,792 34	
Paid for Annuities	3,196 94	
Paid for Commissions	11,090 59	
Paid for Taxes, Medical Examinations, Advertising, Postage, Law Expenses, Salaries, Printing and Stationery, Rent, Fuel, &c.	$16,320 90	—155,415 77
Cash Assets May 1, 1859		$5,263,591 89
Which are invested as follows:		
Cash on hand and in Bank	$185,149 68	
Amount invested in Bonds and Mortgages	5,062,315 50	
Amount due from Agents	16 126 71	—5,263,591 89
Amount as above	$5,263,591 89	
Add interest accrued and not due	140,000 00	
Deferred premiums, (estimate)	125,000 00	
Due from agents for premiums (in course of transmission)	20,000 00	
Total	$5,548,591 89	
Claims unpaid, $51,000.		
Number of Policies in force Jan. 31, 1859		10,993
Issued during the quarter		428
Total		11,421
Deduct for forfeited, surrendered, canceled, expired and dead		171
Policies in force May 1, 1859		11,269
Of which 10,527 are for the whole life.		
Of which 269 are Endowment Policies.		
Of which 473 Term Policies.		
Net increase for the quarter in Policies		267
Viz: in Life Policies	277	
Endowment Policies	21	
	298	
Decrease in Term Policies	31	
		267
Average amount of Insurance for each policy of increase		$3,153 33

I have carefully examined the above statement and believe the same to be correct. SHEPPARD HOMANS, Actuary.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE.—THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED BONDS of the Mad River and Lake Erie Railroad Company having been lost on board the steamer *Austria*, on the 13th of September, 1858, application has been made to the Company for the issue of duplicates: Nos. 66, 67, 223, 224, 268, 270, 744, 745, 747, 269, for $1,000 each, principal payable in 1866, with coupons attached for interest, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, on the 1st of February and the 1st of August. CAMMANN & CO.

CORPORATION NOTICE.—THE COMMITTEE on Roads of the Board of Aldermen, will meet in No. 8 City Hall, on THURSDAY, May 26, at 3 o'clock. Parties interested in any matters before the Committee are notified to attend. H. W. GENET, NICHOLS SEAGRIST, J. H. BRADY, } Com. on Roads.

CORPORATION NOTICE.—THE COMMITTEE on Lamps and Gas, of the Board of Aldermen, will meet on THURSDAY, May 26, in Room No. 8 City Hall, at 2 P. M. NICHOLAS SEAGRIST, WM. J. PECK, R. L. DARRAGH, } Committee on Lamps and Gas.

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FOR SOUTHAMPTON AND HAVRE. THE UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMER ARAGO, D. LINES, Commander, Will leave for Havre, touching at Southampton to land the mails and passengers, on SATURDAY, May 28, at 12 o'clock, from Pier No. 37 North River, foot of Beach-st. The ship has five water tight compartments, inclosing the engines, so that in the event of collision or stranding the water could not reach them, and the pumps being free to work, the safety of the vessel and passengers would be secured. Baggage not wanted during the voyage should be sent on board the day before sailing, marked "Below." Price of Passage in second-cabin $75 and $60. For Freight or Passage apply to W. S. DRAYTON, Agent, No. 7 Broadway. N. B.—The steamer FULTON will succeed the ARAGO, and sail June 25.

THE NORTH GERMAN LLOYD'S STEAMSHIP WESER, J. H. GAETJEN, Commander, will sail positively, carrying the U. S. Mail, on SATURDAY, May 28, at 12 M., FOR BREMEN VIA SOUTHAMPTON, taking passengers for LONDON, HAVRE, SOUTHAMPTON and BREMEN, at the following rates: First cabin, $100; second cabin, $60; steerage, $35. For freight or passage, apply to GELPCKE, KEUTGEN & REICHELT, No. 84 Broadway.

CLIPPER SHIP "UNCOWAH," FOR SAN FRANCISCO. FIRST VESSEL. The Clipper UNCOWAH is completing her loading at Pier No. 21 East River, and will receive freight till SATURDAY NEXT, 28th inst. She was built by Mr. Wm. H. Webb for the California trade, and is the only New-York-built clipper up. SUTTON & CO., No. 58 South-st., corner Wall.

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NEW LINE FOR HAVANA.—STEAMSHIP QUAKER CITY. This well-known and fast steamship, R. W. SHUFELDT, commander, will sail for the above port on MONDAY, May 30, at 12 o'clock, from Pier No. 27, foot of Robinson-st. For freight at 30 cents per foot, or passage, apply to HARGOUS BROTHERS, No. 33 South-st. Freight received on the 25th instant. This steamship will go no further than Havana, and will sail from that port direct for New-York on the 7th of June. Days of sailing from this port will be advertised. No freight received after 12 o'clock of the day previous to sailing. Bills of lading furnished and signed on board. Passengers must have passports from Spanish Consul. Agent in Havana, J. M. ZANGRONIZ.

FOR THE SOUTH. NEW-ORLEANS, MOBILE, MONTGOMERY, ATLANTA, ALBANY, COLUMBUS, MACON, AUGUSTA, AND VARIOUS PLACES IN FLORIDA, VIA SAVANNAH, GA.—The favorite steamship AUGUSTA, Capt. M. S. WOODHULL will leave on SATURDAY, May 28, at 4 P. M., from Pier No. 4 North River. Through tickets can be had for the following places. Fare as low as by any other steamers from New-York to Savannah. Accommodations superior. New-York to New-Orleans, $39 75; Mobile, $35; Montgomery, Ala., $26; Atlanta, Ga., $23; Albany, Ga., $24. New-York to Columbus, Ga., $23; Macon, Ga., $21; Augusta, $20; Savannah, $15. For freight or passage, apply to SAML. L. MITCHILL & SON, No. 13 Broadway.

FOR THE SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST VIA CHARLESTON, S. C.—Semi-Weekly U. S. Mail Side-Wheel Steamship Line. Cabin passage .... $15 | Deck .... $6. The steamship COLUMBIA, Capt. BERRY, will leave Pier No. 4 North River, on FRIDAY, May 27, at 4 o'clock P. M. precisely. Through tickets to the following places:

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FOR SAVANNAH AND FLORIDA.—THE American Atlantic Screw Steamship Company's new and elegant steamship HUNTSVILLE, JNO. A. POST Commander, will leave Pier No. 12 North River, on SATURDAY, May 28 at 4 o'clock P. M. Passage to Savannah, with unsurpassed accommodations, $15; through ticket to New Orleans, $39 75; Mobile, $35; Montgomery, $26; Albany, Ga., $24; Atlanta, $23; Columbus, $23; Macon, $21; Augusta, $20; also to principal places in Florida at lowest rates. Freight 10 cents per foot and proportionate rates. Insurance one half per cent. Apply to H. B. CROMWELL & CO., No. 86 West st.

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Passage money to Nassau $45
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Passage money between Havana and Nassau 15
For freight or passage apply to E. CUNARD, No. 4 Bowling-green.

REDUCED RATES.—FOR NORFOLK, $6; PETERSBURGH and RICHMOND, $8. The steamship JAMESTOWN, Captain PARISH, will receive freight for the above places on FRIDAY and SATURDAY, at Pier No. 13 North River, and leave on SATURDAY, 28th inst., at 3 o'clock. Freight for Petersburgh landed at City Point. Passage, state-room included, to Norfolk, reduced to $6; Petersburgh and Richmond, state-room included, reduced to $8. Meals 50 cents extra. LUDLAM & HEINEKEN, No. 115 Broadway.

ROSS, FALCONER & CO.'S LINE.—CLIPPER of SATURDAY, June 4, the superior medium clipper-ship AREY, HENRY WILSON Master, is now finishing her loading at Pier No 8 East River. The AREY has a good portion of her cargo on board, is well ventilated, and insures at the lowest rates. Favorable engagements can be made on application to ROSS, FALCONER & CO., No. 46 Pine-st. Agents in San Francisco, Messrs. Ross, Dempster & Co.

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STEAMBOATS.

FOR NEWPORT AND PROVIDENCE.—Steamer GOVERNOR leaves Pier No. 6 North River, every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, at 4 P. M. REDUCED RATES OF PASSAGE. Cabin .... $2 | Deck .... $1. No charge for berths. For freight or passage, apply on board, or at No. 25 Coenties-slip. L. KENNY, Agent.

MORNING LINE FOR PEEKSKILL.—Landing at Yonkers, Hastings, Dobbs' Ferry, Tarrytown, Nyack, Sing Sing, Haverstraw, Grassy Point, Verplanck's Point and Caldwell's. The steamboat AURORA, Capt. ANNING SMITH, will leave the foot of Jay-st. EVERY MORNING, at 8 o'clock; returning, leave Peekskill at 1½ o'clock P. M., touching at Amos-st.

FOR BRIDGEPORT—FARE 50 CENTS.—THE steamer BRIDGEPORT leaves Pier No. 24 E. R., every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 12 o'clock, noon. Dinner on board. Freight taken, arriving in time to connect with the Housatonic, Naugatuck, New-Haven, Hartford, Springfield and Boston Railroad. Office No. 105 Beekman-st. GEO. W. CORLIES, Agent.

DAILY LINE FOR RONDOUT, KINGSTON, Newburgh and Poughkeepsie, landing at Cozzens', West Point, Cold Spring, Cornwall, New-Hamburg and Milton, each way. The fast and elegant steamer THOMAS POWELL, Capt. A. L. ANDERSON, leaves Jay-st. Pier EVERY AFTERNOON, at 3.45 o'clock.

FOR SAG HARBOR—LANDING AT ORIENT AND GREENPORT.—The steamer CATALINE will leave from Oliver-st., Pier No. 33 East River, on SATURDAY AFTERNOON at 5 o'clock. Freight received on board on Friday, at wharf.

FOR NEW-HAVEN.—THE STEAMER ELM CITY will leave Peck-slip, East River, EVERY DAY, at 3 P. M. The steamer TRAVELER, EVERY NIGHT at 11, arriving in time for the early morning trains. RICHARD PECK, Agent.

THE STEAMER "ISLAND CITY" LEAVES James slip, DAILY, at 4 P. M., Sundays excepted, landing at Whitestone, City Island, New-Rochelle and Mamaroneck.

DAY BOAT FOR ALBANY—STEAMER ARMENIA every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, from foot of Harrison st., at 7 o'clock A. M.

DAY BOAT FOR ALBANY AND TROY.—Steamer METAMORA, TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, from foot of Jay-st. at 7 A. M.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT—COUNTY OF SARATOGA.—JOHN KNICKERBACKER, Plaintiff, against JOSEPH M. MABBETT, Statira J. Mabbett, Truman G. Mabbett, Phylemon Stewart, Albridge Maltby, Ellsworth P. Maltby, Rufus R. Graves, Erastus A. Graves, Novazembla Johnson, John E. Byrne, Survetus F. Johnson, William Townsend, Goldsmith D. Johnes, Theodore A. Wright, Blake Wales, Jr., Charles Scott, James Dunn, Horace B. Wilcox, Robert Goodenough, Jr., George W. Gatherie, Samuel M. Waller, George W. Read, Jehiel Read, James F. Stevens, Charles H. Rising, James E. Goddard, Benjamin F Green, Lafayette Reed, Peter V. Z. Lane, William B. Guild, Charles Bridge, Charles R. McNulty, George Bridge, Malcolm Forbes, Winslow M. Burdick, George P. Williams, Loring S Williams, Charles B. Williams, Sidney H. Blanchard, Henry Robinson, William H. Parsons, Annanias M. Cameron, Justin A. Edwards, William R. Gilbert, Robert M. Boyd, William E. Whiting, William Phillips, John S. Jaffray, Arthur W. Jaffray, Edward S. Jaffray, Richmond W. Jaffray, William A. Crocker, Adonijah S. Quackenbush, John J. Quackenbush, Daniel Starkweather, William H. Lyon, Warren W. Lyon, Robert Shaw, Morris Soher, Jason Taylor, William H. Lindsley, Benoni H. Howell, John D Lewis, John G Haviland, James Sayre, Seymour Ainsworth, Ebenezer Cauldwell, Thomas G. Cauldwell, William A. Cauldwell, John H. Fowler, William M. *Pulis, Lewis O Wilson, Boardman Burchard, William B. Bennett, Park Matthewson, Philo E. Doolittle, Detus or Ditus C. Shepard, Albert M. Waterman, Hamilton Armstrong and John Elliot, Defendants.—To the above named defendants, and each of them: You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint of John Knickerbacker, plaintiff, which was filed with the Clerk of Saratoga County on the 7th day of October, 1858, and a copy of which is hereto annexed, and to serve a copy of your answer on the subscribers at their office, in the village of Waterford, Saratoga County, N. Y., within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service; and if you fail to answer said complaint as hereby required, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated May 19, 1859. MOTT & WALDRON, Plaintiff's Attorneys. my26-1aw6wTh

SUPREME COURT.—IN THE MATTER OF THE application of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New-York, by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, relative to the acquisition of lands for a public park or place, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets and the Fifth and Eighth avenues, in the City of New-York.—The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New-York, by the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, pursuant to the statute entitled, "An Act to alter the Map of the City of New-York, by laying out thereon a public place, and to authorize the taking of the same," passed April 2, 1859—three-fifths being present—hereby give notice to the owners, lessees, parties, and persons, respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments, and premises hereinafter mentioned and described, that they will apply to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special term of said Court, to be held at the City Hall of the City of New-York, on Monday, the 20th day of June, 1859, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of three Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter, to estimate, in favor of the several owners, lessees, parties, and persons aforesaid, a just and equitable compensation for taking all those lands, tenements, hereditaments, and premises, as lie between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets and the Fifth and Eighth avenues, in said City, and which the said Board of Commissioners of the Central Park deem advisable to be acquired for the purpose of extending said Central Park in the City of New-York, which said lands and premises are laid out on the map or plan of said City, under and by virtue of an act entitled, "An act relative to improvements touching the laying out of streets and roads in the City of New-York, and for other purposes," passed April 3, 1857. Dated May 12, 1859. RICHARD BUSTEED, Counsel to the Corporation, And to said Board of Commissioners.

SUPREME COURT—CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW-YORK.—WILLIAM H. SMITH, Plaintiff, against ODIAH L. SHELDON, WILLIAM L. HARRIS, HORACE B. SHELDON and LUCIUS M. SHELDON, Defendants. Summons for money Demand on contract: (Com. not served.) To the above-named defendants: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the City Hall in said City, on the 9th day of April, 1859, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber, at his office, No. 271 Broadway, corner of Chambers street, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgment against you for the sum of twelve hundred and sixty-four dollars and seventy-four cents, with interest thereon, as claimed in said complaint, besides the costs of this action.—Dated New-York, April 9, 1859. LUTHER R. MARSH, Plaintiff's Attorney, No 271 Broadway, corner Chambers-street, New-York. ap21-1aw6wTh*

SUPREME COURT—WESTCHESTER COUNTY—ABRAHAM HATFIELD, plaintiff, against THOS. STANFORD, and REBECCA his wife, WILLIAM H. BOWNE and THOMAS B. BOWNE.—Summons for Relief.—(Com. not Ser.)—To Thomas Stanford: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, in said county, on the 12th day of April, 1859, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber, at his office, in the Town of Westchester, County of Westchester, State of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated April 13, 1859. JAS. P. SANDERS, Plaintiff's Attorney, Westchester, N. Y. ap14-1aw10wTh*

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against STEPHEN W. MEECH, late of Norwich, in Connecticut, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at the office of Samuel T. Hyde, No. 27 Cliff-street, in the City of New-York, on or before the 22d day of July next.—Dated New-York, Jan. 19, 1859. ANN E. MEECH, SAMUEL T. HYDE, } Administrators. ja20-1aw6mTh*

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against JOHN MOHRMANN, Jr., late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at the office of ROBERT BENNER, Counselor-at-law, No. 75 Nassau-street, in the City of New-York, on or before the 1st day of August next.—Dated New-York, Jan. 12, 1859. CORD MOLLER, Administrator. ja13-1aw6mTh*

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against WILLIAM C. THOMPSON, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his office No. 7 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on or before the 19th day of July next. Dated, New-York, the 19th day of January, 1859. GEO. MACKENZIE, Adm'r. ja20-1aw6mTh*

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against JOHN JACOB GOLL, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the Subscribers at the office of Robert Benner, Counselor-at-Law, No. 75 Nassau-st., in the City of New York, on or before the first day of August next.—Dated NEW-YORK, Jan. 12, 1859. JOHN G. STEARNS, EBENEZER H. BROWN, } Executors. j13-1aw6mTh*

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of RICHARD ROGERS, late of the City of New-York, merchant, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at their office, No. 343 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on or before the 20th day of September next.—Dated New-York, March 16, 1859. HENRY ROBINSON, MATTHEW DALY, } Ex'rs. mh17-1aw6mT*

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against WILLIAM H. SIMMONS, late of the City of New-York, merchant, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, at the office of JOHN H. MORRELL, Esq., No. 129 Roosevelt street, in the City of New-York, on or before the 13th day of November next.—Dated New-York, May 13, 1859. JOHN H. MORRELL, WILLIAM S. LUDLAM, } Executors. my19-1aw6wTh*

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against ISAAC DE VOE, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at her residence in the village of Yonkers, Westchester County, New-York, on or before the 5th day of September next.—Dated New York, March 2, 1859. MIRIAM C. DEVOE, Administrator. mh3-1aw6mTh*

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against PETER MASTERSON, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at the office of Reuben H. Cudlipp, No. 119 Nassau-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 12th day of November next 1859. Dated, New-York, May 10, 1859. MICHAEL TREACY, Executor. my11-1aw6mW*

PROPOSALS.

CITY OF NEW-YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 29, 1859. SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at this Office until Wednesday, the first day of June next, at 12 o'clock M., for the purchase by the Corporation, of real estate, for the use of the Fire Department, as follows:
Lot for Engine Co. No. 35, to be located within the following boundaries: 118th and 121st sts.; 2d and 3d avs.
Lot for Engine Co. No. 41, to be located between Suffolk, Attorney, Delancy and Broome sts.
Lot for Hose Co. No. 4, to be located between Suffolk, Attorney, Rivington and Broome sts.
Lot for Hook and Ladder Co. No. 11, to be located between Scammel, Clinton, Henry and Division sts.
Lot for Hook and Ladder Co. No. 3, to be located between Fourth, Thompson and Bleecker sts. and 6th-av.
Proposals to contain a diagram of the property offered, giving location and dimensions; also, the character of improvements, if any. Payments will be made in cash, on giving a clear and satisfactory title. The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any or all proposals if in his judgment the interests of the Corporation shall require it. ROBT. T. HAWS, Comptroller.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned, in behalf of the School Officers of the XVth Ward, at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm sts., until Saturday, June 4, at 12 o'clock, noon, for substituting settees in place of desks and seats in the assembly rooms of School-house No. 47 in said Ward, the surplus desks to be taken in part payment by the contractor, pursuant to plans and specifications on file and to be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 94 Crosby-st. The School Officers of the Ward reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals offered, if deemed for the public interests to do so. SAMUEL HOTALING, JAMES D. OLIVER, RICHARD C. McCORMICK, Committee on Buildings and Furniture.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned, in behalf of the School Officers of the VIIIth Ward, at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm-sts., until WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of June next, at 12 o'clock noon, for making certain alterations and repairs on Colored School House No. 2, in Laurens-st. in said Ward, pursuant to plans and specifications on file, and to be seen at the Office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 94 Crosby-st. Also, for painting the inside walls of Ward School House No. 38, in said VIIIth Ward, according to specifications on file and to be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, as aforesaid. The School officers of the Ward reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals offered, if deemed for the public interest to do so. WILLIAM TUCKER, WILLIAM BLOOMFIELD, } Commissioners.

AMUSEMENTS.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC. IL POLIUTO. STRAKOSCH ITALIAN OPERA. On FRIDAY EVENING, May 27. POSITIVELY LAST NIGHT IN AMERICA OF MLLE. PICCOLOMINI, under the management of Mr. Strakosch, previous to her final departure for Europe, which cannot under any circumstances be extended. Second production in America, and last night of Donizetti's tragic opera, IL POLIUTO (The Martyrs.) with
Mlle. Piccolomini .... as .... Pauline
Signor Brignoli .... as .... Polyutus
Signor Amodio .... as .... Severus
Signor Barili .... as .... Felix
The Opera will be produced with a MAGNIFICENT ENSEMBLE, NEW AND SPLENDID SCENERY, Painted expressly for this work by Signor CALYO, pupil of Allegri. NEW AND CHARACTERISTIC COSTUMES. In the First Act, INTERIOR OF THE CATACOMBS. In the Second Act, The triumphant Entrée of SEVERUS into Mitylene, with a GRAND ARC DE TRIOMPHE FULL MILITARY BAND ON THE STAGE, In addition to the GRAND ORCHESTRA. Mr. APTOMMAS, the celebrated Harpist, has been engaged for the accompaniments on his instrument. CONDUCTORS, Signor MUZIO and Mr. STRAKOSCH.
A CARD. The Manager feels great satisfaction in producing, for the close of Mlle. PICCOLOMINI'S American engagements—this being the last week of her sojourn in the United States—Donizetti's last work, the grand tragic opera, IL POLIUTO. SATURDAY, The LAST appearance and LAST PICCOLOMINI GALA MATINEE. With Mozart's immortal masterwork, DON GIOVANNI, Which will be produced with the same powerful cast and great care bestowed upon its previous representation. PICCOLOMINI FOR THE LAST TIME IN HER MOST CELEBRATED AND UNRIVALED CHARACTER OF ZERLINA. The MATINEE will conclude with the last act of LUCIA DI LAMMERMOOR.
Madame CORA DE WILHORST as .... LUCIA
Mr. HENRY SQUIRES as .... EDGARDO
The sale of tickets for the Matinée, price $1, commences this morning at the usual places.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC. GALA MATINEE. DON GIOVANNI and LUCIA DI LAMMERMOOR. PICCOLOMINI'S FAREWELL IN AMERICA. SATURDAY, May 28, at 1 o'clock P. M., Doors open at 12 o'clock. EXTRAORDINARY PERFORMANCE, when the entire Strakosch Company will appear. The whole of Mozart's immortal masterwork, IL DON GIOVANNI, with one of the most complete and best casts ever witnessed here. Mlle. PICCOLOMINI will appear for the Last Time in her celebrated character of ZERLINA. And the last act of LUCIA DI LAMMERMOOR,
with Mme. de Wilhorst .... as .... Lucia
Henry Squires .... as .... Edgardo
Tickets to all parts of the Academy, $1. No reserved seats. The sale of tickets commences this morning at all the usual places.

LAURA KEENE'S THEATRE. LAURA KEENE'S THEATRE. LAURA KEENE'S THEATRE. LAST NIGHTS LAST NIGHTS OF A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM, A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM, A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM, WHICH MUST BE SOON WITHDRAWN, SOON WITHDRAWN, SOON WITHDRAWN, AS THE SEASON WILL TERMINATE SEASON WILL TERMINATE SATURDAY, June 4. Dress Circle seats may be secured TEN DAYS in advance. Doors open at 7 o'clock, and to commence at 7½ precisely. Miss Keene would beg to announce the BENEFITS OF MR. BLAKE, ON FRIDAY, May 27, AND MISS McCARTHY, ON SATURDAY, May 28, On which occasion will be presented Shakespeare's celebrated comedy A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM, For the 35th and 36th times. The performance will begin with the excellent comedietta of UNCLE FOOZLE, in which Mr BLAKE will, by express request, (and for the first time in this theatre,) appear in that most popular character. Mrs. BLAKE as Mrs. Quickfidget. MONDAY, June 6, FIRST APPEARANCE of the CELEBRATED SISTERS, ADELAIDE AND JOEY GOUGENHEIM, Since their unprecedented successes in CALIFORNIA AND AUSTRALIA.

WALLACK'S THEATRE. Doors open at 7, to commence at ¼ before 8 o'clock. MR. WHEATLEIGH'S BENEFIT. THIS EVENING, (Thursday,) May 26. Ninth night of the new Comedy, MEN OF THE DAY, Received each evening with enthusiastic applause. To conclude with, first time at this Theatre, A MODEL OF A WIFE. Mr. Lester Wallack, Mr. Brougham, Mr. Walcot, Mr. Wheatleigh, Mr Bangs, Mr Floyd, Mr. Young, Mr Chippendale, Mrs. Hoey, Miss Mary Gannon, Mrs. Vernon, Mrs. H. P. Grattan, Miss Henrarde, Miss Tree, &c., will appear in the above pieces. FRIDAY, tenth night of MEN OF THE DAY. SATURDAY, benefit of Mrs. HOEY.

METROPOLITAN THEATRE. (Late Burton's, under the Lafarge House.) Sole Lessee and Manager .... Mr. F. B. CONWAY. Doors open at 7 o'clock; commence at 7¾ precisely. THURSDAY, May 26, 1859, First night of the great Tragic Drama, entitled LOUISE DE LYNEROLLES; OR, A WIFE'S DEVOTION. To conclude with the favorite Comedy, called FAINT HEART NEVER WON FAIR LADY YET. On Saturday a most powerful combination of attractions for the benefit of Mrs. F. B. Conway. Box-book now open. Popular prices restored.

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NIBLO'S GARDEN. MANAGER .... MR. E. EDDY. THIS EVENING, May 26. Will be performed Auber's grand Operatic Ballet of LA BAYADERE. To conclude with the Farce of MY PRECIOUS BETSEY. Afternoon performance will take place on Saturday, May 28. Doors open at 7¼; to commence at 8.

NATIONAL THEATRE. Lessee ... Thomas C. Steers | Stage Manager ... G. L. Aiken. THIS EVENING, May 26, To commence with the Drama entitled THE HIDDEN HAND.
Major Ira Warfield .... Mr. G. A. Beane
Herbert Greyson .... G. L. Aiken
Capitola .... Rosa Cline
To conclude with THE SCARLET MANTLE.

BOWERY THEATRE. Lessees .... Messrs. G. L. Fox and J. W. Lingard. THIS EVENING, May 25. The performances will commence with SEAWAIF; OR, TERROR OF THE COAST. Capt. Seawaif .... Mr. G. C. Boniface. To conclude with THE RED CROW.

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READINGS IN BROOKLYN. Miss VICTORIA RANDOLPH will give her first entertainment in Brooklyn at the POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE, LIVINGSTON-ST., on THURSDAY EVENING, May 26, on which occasion, among others, she will read scenes from the HUNCHBACK, HENRY VIIITH, and the LOVE CHASE. Doors open at 7; commence at 8. Tickets 50 cents: may be obtained at the bookstores of W. H. Babcock, No. 246 Fulton-st., and W. W. Rose, No. 142 Atlantic-st., and at the door.

MRS. HOEY'S BENEFIT Will take place at WALLACK'S THEATRE, SATURDAY EVENING, May 28, On which occasion will be presented a splendid Comedy and other entertainments. Seats can be secured daily.

BARNUM'S AMERICAN MUSEUM.—PEERLESS ATTRACTION.—Revival, to gratify solicitous thousands, of UNCLE TOM'S CABIN, with LITTLE CORDELIA HOWARD AND HER PARENTS. THURSDAY, May 26, Afternoon, at 3, OLD AND YOUNG, with Protean Changes by LITTLE CORDELIA, and the HUNTER OF THE PYRENEES. Evening, at 7½ o'clock, UNCLE TOM'S CABIN, with all the original effects, IN SIX ACTS and TWELVE TABLEAUX. LITTLE CORDELIA HOWARD AS EVA, THE FLOWER OF THE SOUTH; Mrs. G. C. HOWARD as Topsey, with Songs and Breakdowns; Mr. G. C. HOWARD as St. Clair. The Aquaria, Happy Family, Picture Gallery, &c., &c. are all here yet. Admittance 25 cts; Children under ten, 13 cents. Parquette seats 13 cents extra.

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The Lowber Judgment Again.

MR. BUSTEED'S ANSWER TO THE COMPTROLLER IN RELATION TO THE OPINION OF JOHN MCKEON, ESQ.

The Comptroller having sent the opinion of John McKeon, Esq., in relation to the Lowber judgment, to Mr. Busteed, Corporation Counsel, with a request for his opinion in the matter, Mr. Busteed has replied that, having read and examined Mr. McKeon's report with much care, he is disposed to quote it, in order that he may be exact in respect to his conclusions. He quotes as follows:

"It seems to me that a public officer holding the position of Comptroller should insist on the fulfilment of the orders of the Supreme Court, and that proceedings should be taken to set aside the execution on which Mr. Lowber has acted, on the ground that the order of the General Term of December, 1857, has not been complied with. The proceedings on the execution were, in my opinion, without authority of law.

The position of Comptroller imposes high responsibilities on the incumbent. The millions which are subject to his control are held by him as the trustee of the citizens of this great Metropolis, and his duty to his constituents would be best discharged by taking the instructions of the Judiciary on any matter of doubt involving an expenditure of a large amount of money

"The motion to set aside the execution can be made on a notice of a few days, and a decision had within a very short time. Should the decision be adverse to the application, it will be time enough to consider whether any further proceedings should be taken. I am not disposed to advise any course whereby the public property should be jeoparded, but at the same time I cannot but state frankly to you that respect for the Judiciary, whose solemn judgments have been defied and set at naught, and a regard for the public interests, in my judgment, demand that an effort should be made to set aside an execution issued in violation of the order of the General Term of the Supreme Court."

It will be observed, says Mr. B., that the ground upon which Mr. McKeon thinks proceedings should be taken to set aside the execution and the sale under it is that the order of the General Term of Dec. 7, 1857, has not been complied with, but, on the contrary, that the proceedings of Lowber were in violation of that order, and the deductions made by Mr. McKeon from the premises are, that because "the position of Comptroller imposes high responsibility on the incumbent," and because he holds millions "as the trustee of the citizens," there is a duty charged upon him growing out of these considerations, and out of "respect for the *Judiciary*, whose solemn judgments have been defied and set at nought," and a "regard for the public interests," to make "an effort to set aside an execution issued in violation of the order of the General Term of the Supreme Court."

Assuming that the premises of Mr. McKeon are correctly stated, I dissent entirely and without qualification from every inference or conclusion which he derives therefrom, so far as your duty as Comptroller is concerned. If any order of any Court, having jurisdiction of the subject and person, has been violated or contemned by any person other than yourself, it is a matter with which you have no right to interfere, as an officer of the City Government, and with which you have no private concern, separate from the regret such a circumstance would occasion every order-loving and law-abiding citizen. No amount of "respect for the Judiciary" would authorize you as Comptroller to obtrude your aid to vindicate their offended majesty or to assist in punishing a violation of their "solemn judgments." I do not understand the "high responsibilities of your office" to involve any such duty. The Courts are invested with the amplest powers for the protection of their dignity, and the enforcement of their lawful orders. They are the best, as they are the only legal guardians of their own authority, and can punish with almost tyrannical severity every actual contempt of their constitutional powers. At the same time no Court has a right to take to itself legislative functions. The Judiciary are the expounders of laws, not the source of their creation; their duty is to construe, not to enact; and "respect for the Judiciary" has its most solid basis in the total abstinence of its members from any assumption of the law-making power.

I deem it necessary to make these remarks, because I hope to show presently that the *order* of the General Term of Dec. 7, 1857, consequent upon, but as distinguished from, the opinion delivered by the Court, so far as it relates to what appears to be a principal stumbling block in Mr. McKeon's way, was ill-advised, and would have been vacated upon attention having been drawn to and argument had upon it. I refer to that part of it which provides that the "form and mode of executing the deed (from Lowber) is to be approved by the Justices of this Court, the title to be deemed good and satisfactory in this action, *so far as it shall be pronounced so* in the action to be commenced under this order."

Yielding to no man or public servant in my deep and unalterable respect for the Judiciary, I yet wholly deny that the General Term had any authority to make the order contained in this extract. The 26th section of the act to amend the Charter of the City of New-York, passed April 14, 1857, some eight months before the order of the General Term, in plain language provides that the "law department," thereby created, "shall have the charge of and *conduct all the law* business of the Corporation and of the departments thereof;" and the 32d section of the same act provides that "until the *Common Council*" (not the Courts) "shall otherwise direct, the existing ordinances shall apply to the departments herein mentioned." The Common Council, by resolution of 18th February, 1857, required the Comptroller to purchase certain property from Robert W. Lowber, which was to be conveyed to the City by "a good and sufficient warrantee deed," and the *title* to which was "to be approved by the Counsel to the Corporation," (not by the Courts in an action between strangers to the contract of purchase,) and the general ordinances then and now in force, require the Counsel to the Corporation to "approve the *form*" *of all deeds or grants to the City*. These considerations are important, because Mr. McKeon urges as proof that the order of the General Term was violated that "the deed never was approved by a Justice of the Supreme Court," an argument based upon the idea that the resolution of purchase being a *contract* with Mr. Lowber, and providing a particular mode of determining the question of title and the form of the assurance, the Courts could not *ex mero motu*, direct something different from that which, without fraud or mistake, was agreed upon by the parties to the contract, might be presented in this connection, but I deem it unnecessary, because I shall now proceed to show that there has not in fact been any violation of the order of Dec. 7, 1857, even upon the part of Lowber; I do this, not because it is my duty or desire to defend any act of that gentleman in respect of the purchase from him by the Common Council, but because the alleged violation of the order of the General Term is the gravamen of Mr. McKeon's complaint, and the reason he urges why you should resuscitate a controversy which has already cost the City more than $50,000.

In what follows I will assume that the General Term had the right to make the order referred to. That order was in these words:

"At a General Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New-York, held at the City Hall in the City of New-York, on the seventh day of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven: Present, Justices MITCHELL, CLERKE and PEABODY.

Robert W. Lowber against The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York.

This cause coming on to be heard upon the appeal taken by the plaintiff from the order in this action, made by Mr. Justice ROOSEVELT, on the 28th of September, 1857, and upon hearing James R. Whiting, Esq., of counsel for Azariah C. Flagg, and Wm. Curtis Noyes and David Dudley Field, Esqs., of counsel for the plaintiff in this action, no person appearing in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York—

It is ordered that the said order be modified so that the answer and all subsequent proceedings mentioned in the said order, be and the same is hereby set aside and vacated, provided the Comptroller of the City of New-York, or any other tax-payer or any other corporator who may be substituted in his place, shall, within thirty days after service of a copy of this order upon the Comptroller or his counsel, file and serve an original complaint as tax-payer, corporator, or otherwise, on behalf of himself and others, setting forth such matters, and making such parties, and praying such relief in the premises as he may be advised, together with a bond as hereinafter provided for; and, in the meantime, that all the proceedings on the part of the plaintiff in this action be and the same are hereby stayed.

And if such action shall be commenced, then that all proceedings in this action on the part of the plaintiff be, and the same are hereby stayed, until final judgment in the said action be commenced by the said Comptroller, tax payer or corporator, as above authorized; provided, however that the said Comptroller, tax-payer or corporator, the plaintiff in such action, shall give security to the plaintiff in this action in the sum of $5 000, by a bond, with two sureties, to be approved by a Justice of this Court, to pay to the said plaintiff in this action all damages he shall sustain by reason of the commencement of and proceedings in such action as is authorized by this order, the said damages to be determined by a reference upon summary application; provided, further, that if said action so to be commenced shall be decided against the plaintiff in such action, then the answer and subsequent proceedings in this action, and the judgment thereon, shall stand in full force as if the answer and subsequent proceedings had not been vacated, except that the form of the judgment shall be so modified that the plaintiff shall recover the damages awarded on his executing and delivering to the present defendants a warrantee deed in the form and with the covenants required by the agreement with the defendants, set forth in the complaint, free from all incumbrances, except as set forth in the said agreement, and conveying a perfect title thereto, except as aforesaid; the form and mode of execution of said deed to be approved by one of the Justices of this Court, the title to be deemed good and satisfactory in this action, so far as it shall be pronounced so in the action to be commenced under this order.

It is further ordered that this order stand in the place of the order appealed from."

This order was intended to be a modification of an order of Mr. Justice Roosevelt made at a Special Term held Sept. 28, 1857. By reference to that order, it will be seen that the order of the General Term is neither a reversal nor a modification of Judge Roosevelt's order. It partakes more of the character of an affirmance than a modification. The *opinion* of the General Term (from which one of three Judges dissented) has this language:

"Justice to all parties would be best promoted by modifying the order below, and allowing the answer to subsequent proceedings to be set aside *provided the Comptroller, or any other tax payer* who may be substituted in *his place*, shall, *within thirty days*, from a written notice of the entry of this modified order, file an original complaint as a tax-payer, corporator, or *otherwise, on behalf of himself* and others, setting forth such matters, and making such parties, and praying such relief in the premises as *he may be advised*. In the meantime, let the plaintiff's proceedings in this action be stayed, and if *another* suit shall be commenced, *as above provided for*, let the plaintiff's proceedings be further stayed *until the final decree* in the other suit. Let the *plaintiff in the new suit* give security in the amount of $5,000."

A comparison of this language with that of the formal order entered upon it on the 7th December, 1859, shows a very great variance between the two. Who settled the *order*, or whether it was ever settled, I am not advised. Nothing is more clear to my mind than that the *order* goes far *beyond the opinion* of the Court, and I quote them both to sustain the statement hereinbefore made, that the *order* was not well considered, and doubtless could have been vacated upon the attention of the Court being properly drawn to it. The opinion of the Court, at General Term, is an order of itself—it is a specific direction as to what may be done; it provides with the utmost circumstantiality, the time, the manner and the conditions. The learned Judge who delivered it himself calls the portion of it which I have quoted, "This modified order." Now, it is claimed by Mr. McKeon that this order of the General Term was complied with by Mr. Flagg, and that there has been a violation of it on the part of Mr. Lowber; and this is endeavored to be maintained by showing that an action was brought, within the time limited, in the name of the People of the State of New-York, by Lyman Tremaine, Esq, their Attorney General, *and on the relation of Azariah C. Flagg*, a corporator and tax-payer of the City of New-York, against the Mayor, Aldermen, &c., of the City of New-York, and Robert W. Lowber, as defendants.

Can this proposition be successfully defended? Will it be argued that a suit brought by the People of the State of New-York, *eo nomine*, is a suit by "the Comptroller, or any other tax payer (of this City) who may be substituted in his place?"

The parties were not the same; they were not represented by the same attorney, they were not entitled to the same kind of remedy, and could not procure relief by similar proceedings. I cannot imagine anything more utterly unlike than an action by the People of the State either on the relation of an individual or otherwise, and an action by the financial agent of a corporation in his capacity as such or as a tax-payer. The damaging effect of this plain non-compliance with the order contained in the opinion of the Court at General Term and even with the order itself, is supposed to be awarded by an order made at Special Term by Judge DAVIES on the 11th March, 1858. This order was made upon a motion to vacate an injunction order previously granted by Mr. Justice INGRAHAM in this suit of the People *vs.* The Mayor, &c., and denies the motion to set aside that injunction. At the end of the order of Judge DAVIES are these words: "And it is further ordered that the complaint in this action be amended by striking out therefrom the words 'on the relation of' wherever the same occur in the said complaint."

It does not appear that any motion to amend the complaint in the action had ever been made, or that it made the parties interested had notice of the application. Can a Judge of the Supreme Court at Special Term change or modify an order of the Court itself made at a General Term? If he can, then the provisions of law which provide for an appeal to the General Term from the decision of a single Justice would appear to be of no very solid advantage. If he cannot, then that part of the order of Judge Davies which amends the complaint by altering the title of the action, and in fact changing the parties to it, would seem to refer to a matter *non coram judici*. The order of the Court at General Term must be complied with in all its particulars by those seeking benefits from it, and I do not understand that it is pretended or claimed that there has ever been a compliance with the order made at General Term except as it was altered by the order of Judge Davies at Special Term. But if it be conceded that Judge Davies had the right to make the order of the 11th March, 1858, and that the action brought in compliance with it was such an action as the Court at General Term decreed might be brought, Mr. Lowber's proceedings were stayed only until *final judgment* in the action so to be brought, and that action was on the 11th Sept. 1858 brought on to be tried before Mr. Justice Ingraham, and judgment rendered in favor of the defendants therein. In the interim between the order of the General Term of Dec. 7, 1857, and the trial of the action brought thereunder, the Supreme Court, in which the suit was pending, had solemnly decided that *no taxpayer* could maintain such an action, and Mr. Flagg, as plaintiff, was thus adjudged to have no standing in Court. The only vitality then left in the suit was what it received from the People of the State of New-York as plaintiff. Will it be contended that the General Term order of Dec. 7, 1857, contemplated or authorized the bringing of an action by the People of the State to set aside a judgment in which they had no interest? This question cannot, perhaps, better be answered, than in the language of Mr. Justice INGRAHAM, dismissing the complaint in the action brought by the People of the State and Mr. Flagg:

"Even conceding, he says, that the action may be maintained in the name of the people to restrain Municipal Corporations in certain cases, I have no hesitation in adopting the conclusion that these proceedings cannot be carried to the extent to which it is sought to use them in this action. However unwise, improvident, extravagant or unnecessary a purchase a Municipal Corporation may intend to make, neither the Attorney-General nor any taxpayer has, in my judgment, any right to *interfere by action and by injunction*."

This, I apprehend, effectually disposes of what remained of life or virtue in the action commenced under the order of Dec. 7, 1857, and remodeled by the order made at Special Term on March 11, 1858. And if by "the solemn judgment" of the Supreme Court itself rendered subsequently to the order of Dec. 7, 1857, and subsequently to the order of March 11, 1858, it has been decided that no such suit as these orders directed to be brought could be maintained, what becomes of the proposition that the execution on the Lowber Judgment was issued in violation of law?

The judgment of Judge Ingraham dismissing the complaint in the action brought by virtue of the General Term of December 7, 1857, has been allowed to become "final" by the acts of the parties. Eight months have transpired since the plaintiff had notice of the entry of the judgment, and no appeal has been attempted or taken therefrom.

On a review of all the proceedings which have been had in the Courts upon the subject of the Lowber claim, and a careful investigation of all the concurrent circumstances, I have no hesitation in saying that there are no "legal points" suggested by way of objection in Mr. McKeon's report to you, "of sufficient magnitude to make it incumbent" on you further to contest this most vexatious litigation, and I add that in my opinion, there is not a single legal ground upon which to build the most poverty stricken hope that you could succeed in setting aside the judgment and the sale under it. There are many other considerations of great weight which would render any such proceedings as Mr. McKeon contemplates utterly fruitless. The judgment itself has been satisfied of record, except as to $543 23 of it. The deed duly approved by the Counsel for the Corporation has been accepted by the Mayor, and is recorded in the proper office. The Legislature has authorized the levying of an amount necessary to vest the title to the lands in the Corporation, and the reiterated action of the Common Council in support of the contract which they made with Mr. Lowber remains unreversed. To attempt now to interpose any power which it is supposed you may possess, against the prompt adjustment of this matter, in my opinion, would be as futile as it would be unjustifiable. I think your duty in the premises is simple and clear. The property of the Corporation ought at once to be relieved from the lien of the sale under the execution. For myself I heartily subscribe to the doctrine laid down by Judge INGRAHAM in this very case, that

"Heads of Departments do not hold their places independent of the Common Council and when its legislation is not in violation of law they have no right or *power* to refuse obedience to such legislation because they may deem it unwise or imprudent; on the contrary, they are only in the legitimate discharge of their duties when they comply with the legislative directions of the Common Council not passed in violation of law."

The Common Council have ordained again and again that this claim be adjusted. They have the legal right so to ordain. The Common Council have ordered me not to coöperate with any effort to hinder its adjustment, but by every means in my power to aid in accomplishing such a result. They have the legal right so to instruct me.

For these reasons and for those which I have presented at length, and because "in the legitimate discharge" of my duty as a subordinate officer of the Government, I "have no right or power to refuse obedience to such legislation," I decline to coöperate with you in any effort to further litigate the Lowber claim. I am not unmindful that this determination may expose me to unjust criticisms from the ignorant, the prejudiced and the vicious; but I shall find support in the conviction that the public officer who lacks the moral courage to do what he thinks right, is a more culpable delinquent than he who does wrong unwittingly.

SPORTING NEWS.

Billiards—Phelan's Rejoinder to Seereiter—The British Championship—Pigeon-Shooting, &c.

Mr. MICHAEL PHELAN publishes in *Porter's Spirit* a rejoinder to the letter of JOHN SEEREITER, concerning the new Billiard challenge. He takes direct issue with SEEREITER on technical points; states that the cloth and balls used in the Detroit match were not chosen without SEEREITER's knowledge, but that the latter selected the balls and had played on a cloth precisely like that on which the match was contested. The rejoinder brands SEEREITER's published statements as falsehoods, and winds up as follows:

Mr. SEEREITER played with me on two occasions previous to the match—once in his own city, and once in New-York. I beat him on both occasions, so that his late defeat is the *third* he has received at my hands. What further can he desire—unless notoriety?

As to his remarks with regard to my health, they are of a piece with his conduct and observations during the entire contest. I can show on the most respectable testimony that, though my challenge had been open for nearly a year, it was not taken up by him until I was confined to my bed with a rheumatic attack.

Having shown the falsehood of these statements made in the card which bears Mr. SEEREITER's name, I take this opportunity of informing that gentleman and his friends, that henceforth I will take no notice of their allegations, though they should publish cards by the dozen.

I am, Mr. Editor, yours respectfully,
MICHAEL PHELAN.

Porter's Spirit says:

"By way of proof of what he says, Mr. PHELAN has left at our office, for examination, the balls with which the match was played, and the identical green cloth that covered the table."

THE BRITISH CHAMPIONSHIP.—The *Clipper* publishes another letter from TOM SAYERS, the British champion, as follows:

"DEAR SIR: Will you please allow me to inform Mr. HEENAN that he will see by the columns of *Bell's Life*, and I have no doubt also in the pages of the *Clipper*, that I am matched to fight an Unknown, for £200 a side and the champion's belt, to come off on the 15th of November next, being two months after my fight with BRETTLE, and cannot make a match with Mr. HEENAN, unless my old opponent, AARON JONES, refuses to fight me, as my backer, Mr. JOHN GIDEON, left £50 at *Bell's Life* office for me to fight AARON JONES for £200 a side and the champion's belt, six months after my fight with the Unknown—that is, in case I beat him; for should he beat me, I should have no belt to fight for. I give Mr. AARON JONES the refusal; but, if he do not fight me, I will make a match to fight Mr. HEENAN, within six months after my fight with the Unknown, for any sum over £200 a side, as may be agreed on in fair terms between us, for the championship of England, and the champion's belt, according to the rules of the Pugilistic Benevolent Association. Yours, obediently,
TOM SAYERS, Champion of England.
LONDON, May 7, 1859.

The *Clipper* says:

"We also received a private letter from Mr. GIDEON in reference to the second challenge of Mr. HEENAN and to which the above letter appears to be a reply It will be seen that there is no prospect of HEENAN getting on with SAYERS for eighteen months at least unless either of the matches referred to should fall through, of which there seems to be no probability at present. The match between the Unknown and SAYERS is progressing with all due regularity, and AARON JONES, we understand, is now on his way to this City, to make preparations for an early return to England, and to get himself in proper trim for the task he has cut out for himself. The Benecia Boy is here at present, undecided what course to pursue. Of course he will have to bide his time if he still desires a meeting with the English champion. Whether he will be able to pick up another customer in the meantime, time will tell.

THE TRIGGER.

A Pigeon-shooting tournament is to take place near Jersey City, on the 13th June. There will be four sweepstakes, each member to shoot in accordance with the rules of pigeon shooting, the winners of the first or principal sweepstakes to be handicapped for the remaining matches, according to the opinion of the judges on the ground.

THE COURSE.

PORTER's *Spirit* says: "The spirited owner of *Lady Woodruff*, who beat *Mountain Boy* last week, at two-mile heats, has authorized us to say that he is open to trot her to wagons, mile heats, best 3 in 5—wagon and driver to weigh 400 lbs.—against any horse in the country, for $2,500 a side, and a little more if necessary."

Convention of Life Insurance Companies.

FIRST DAY.

The first National Convention of Underwriters of Life Insurance Companies met at the Astor House yesterday. The object of this Convention is to adopt measures for placing the subject of Life Insurance in this country, which is one of fast increasing importance to all classes of people, upon a more uniform, reliable and permanent basis. Heretofore, for want of reliable statistics, arising in part from defective legislation upon the subject of registration, American Insurance Companies have been compelled to rely on the English tables, whose want of adaptation to the peculiar characteristics of this country are daily becoming more evident. It is thought that by holding periodical Conventions of the various Insurance Companies now doing business in the country, and comparing the actual records of each, valuable statistics may be collected, which will be of permanent importance to the general subject of life insurance, and from which American tables may be constructed, that will be better adapted to the peculiar character of our population. There were about forty delegates present at the opening of the Convention, yesterday, representing companies in this City, Philadelphia, Boston, Hartford, New-Haven, Springfield, Newark, Pittsfield, Portland, London and Liverpool. The Convention was organized by the election of F. S. WINSTON, Esq., President of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of this City, as President; MORRIS FRANKLIN, of the New-York Life Insurance Company, Vice-President; JOHN EADIE, of the United States Life Insurance Company, Secretary; and SHEPARD HOMANS, Treasurer. The President, on taking the chair, expressed his thanks for the honor conferred upon him, and briefly explained the objects of the Convention, remarking that he had some suggestions to make upon the subject which had called them together, but as the present session was merely for the purpose of selecting Committees, he would defer his remarks until the next meeting. On motion the following Committees were then appointed.

ON VITAL STATISTICS—S. Homans, New-York Mutual; John Eadie, United Sates; Lewis Merrill, Pennsylvania Mutual.

EXTRA RATES—Isaac Abbott, Mutual Life; G. R. Phelps, Connecticut Mutual; R. S. Buchannan, Albion and Eagle.

RENEWAL OF LAPSED POLICIES—Morris Franklin, New-York Life; Benjamin Chickering, Berkshire Life; H. B. Morgan, United States.

STATE LEGISLATION—E. A. Buckley, Active Life Insurance Company; Benjamin Noyes, American Mutual; A. B. McDonald, Royal of Liverpool.

Several honorary members were elected, after which the Convention adjourned to 11 o'clock this forenoon. The sessions of the Convention will close with a banquet at the Astor House this evening.

Police Reports.

A YOUNG MAN SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN KILLED BY ROWDIES.—Charles C. Cochran, a young man who was employed as book-keeper in the store of Buckley & Co., No. 7 College-place, and who boarded at No. 21 Amity place, was found dead yesterday morning in his bed. From the circumstances, it is believed that his death was the result of violence. On Tuesday evening he went to Wallack's Theatre with a friend, but left before the performances were concluded, promising to return and meet his companion in the saloon underneath the theatre after the theatre had closed. He failed to keep his appointment; but where he went after leaving the theatre, is not known. A little after midnight he made his appearance at his boarding-house. Both eyes were blackened, his face was covered with lacerated wounds and bruises, and he bore other external indications of having been assaulted. He was asked what the matter was, but refused to give any account of himself, and went immediately to bed. Yesterday morning he did not appear at breakfast, and on going to his room he was found dead. A *post-mortem* examination of the body revealed a fracture of the skull, about two inches in length, between the frontal and parietal bones, and congested blood upon the brain. An inquest was held by the Coroner, but no testimony was elicited giving any facts additional to those stated above. It was impossible to determine whether he received his injuries accidentally or through personal violence. The jury rendered a verdict of "Death from compression of the brain, the result of a fracture of the skull, but how said fracture was received the jury are unable to say." Mr. Cochran was twenty-six years of age, and a native of Baltimore, where his parents still reside. He is reported to have been a very quiet, inoffensive young man. After the inquest the body was forwarded to Baltimore for interment. Several policemen have been detailed to ascertain, if possible, where the deceased went after leaving Wallack's Theatre, and learn if he got into any difficulty, and, if so, who the parties were who assaulted him.

DISHONEST SERVANT GIRL.—Margaret O'Neil, a servant in the family of John J. Benson, No. 8 Wooster-street, was yesterday arrested on a charge of stealing various articles belonging to her employer, including a quantity of silk lace mantillas, which had just been made for a down town mantilla store. A portion of the missing goods were found between the mattresses of her bed and some on the top of the house. Justice KELLY committed her for trial.

ROBBERY ON A STEAMBOAT.—A young man, giving his name as John Parkinson Smith, was arrested on board the steamboat *Elm City*, on her last trip from New-Haven, charged with breaking open the trunk of a lady passenger, and stealing a quantity of jewelry and clothing. The prisoner was committed by Justice WELSH for trial, at the Court of General Sessions.

SHOPLIFTERS.—A woman who gave her name as Ava Jacobs, and her son Charles, were yesterday detected in taking laces, cravats, embroideries, and other goods, from the store No. 4 Dey-street. They were taken to the Lower Police Court and committed to answer.

BROOKLYN INTELLIGENCE.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.—An adjourned meeting of this Board was held last evening. Some routine business was transacted, and the bill for the large number of inquests held by the Coroners was referred to a Committee, and a retrenchment in this quarter suggested.

SABBATH SCHOOL UNION.—The following gentlemen have been elected as Managers of the Brooklyn Sabbath School Union for the ensuing year: Andrew A. Smith, John Cattnach, Albert Woodruff, H. W. Law, John G. Fay, D. C. Green, Wm. McElhinnety, J. H. Field, John Young, A. F. Baldwin, Edward A. Lambert, A. L. Van Buren, A. D. Matthews, Samuel Booth, R. S. Slocum, A. V. Blake, H. R. Piercy, J. M. B. Bogert, John French, Alfred Smithers. J. T. Davenport, Treasurer; John R. Morris, Secretary. The following statistical statement is made by the retiring Board:

Whole number of Schools, W. D.	99
Number reported	92
Whole number of Scholars	20,962
Male Scholars	9,426
Female Scholars	11,476
Average attendance of Scholars	12,640
In Infant Classes	5 068
Whole number of Teachers	2,501
Male Teachers	1,145
Female Teachers	1,356
Average Attendance	2,069
Conversions, of Scholars	452
Conversions, of Teachers	105

ALMOST A PANIC.—A false alarm of fire was given in Public School No. 14 Tuesday last, when the children made a rush for the doors, but by judicious management on the part of the teachers, the excitement was quickly quelled, and no person was injured. This School has some dearly bought experience in the way of panics, which is invaluable on such occasions.

DEATH FROM INTOXICATION.—A woman named MARIA HOWARD, residing in a tenement at the rear of No. 4 Prince-street, died Tuesday night while intoxicated. Coroner HORTON held an inquest, and a verdict was rendered that her death was caused by the free use of intoxicating liquors.

BASE BALL.—The Grasshopper Base Ball Club is the name of a new Club just organized, by the election of the following officers: *President*—G. BARNES. *Vice-President*—S. G. Arnold. *Treasurer*—W. E. White. *Secretary*—A. F. Hall. *Directors*—A. W. Benson, S. R. F. Beers, S. G. Arnold.

WM. SMITH O'BRIEN.—A meeting was held at Montague Hall, last evening, to make arrangements to escort WM. SMITH O'BRIEN down the Bay when he departs for Europe.

HOUSE ROBBERY.—The house of WM. BOYLE, on the Clove Road, near DeKalb-avenue, was robbed on Tuesday, during the temporary absence of the family, of property valued at $150.

BROOKLYN CITY COURT.—Calendar for this day—Nos. 52, 35, 58.

NEW TABERNACLE IN BROOKLYN.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Our neighbors of Brooklyn appear to be determined that their city shall continue to deserve the title of the "City of Churches." I notice that the Elm-place Congregational Church are building on Fulton-avenue, near the City Hall, what they are pleased to call the "Brooklyn Tabernacle," which, it is said, will hold more people than any room in the City. This Society has been obliged to erect this large building for want of sufficient accommodation in the Polytechnic building where they now worship. I understand that the Brooklyn Tabernacle will be opened for Divine services on the first Sabbath in June. It is much to the credit of their young and talented minister, the Rev. WM. A. BARTLETT, to have collected from so small a beginning a very large congregation. A.

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DR. H. JAMES discovered while in the East Indies, a certain cure for consumption, asthma, bronchitis, coughs, colds and general debility. The remedy was discovered by him when his only child, a daughter, was given up to die. His child was cured, and is now alive and well. Desirous of benefiting his fellow mortals, he will send to those who wish it, the recipe, containing full directions for making and successfully using the remedy, free, on receipt of their names, with stamp for return postage. Address O. P. BROWN, No. 19 Grand street, Jersey City, N.J.

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Dinner,
Breakfast and Tea.
Private Rooms for Parties.

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At a tremendous reduction.
English Velvets from 9s. to 12s. per yard.
English Brussels 6s. to 10s. per yard.
All Wool Ingrains 3s. to 6s. per yard.
HIRAM ANDERSON, No. 99 Bowery.

[Advertisement.]

From the Philadelphia Argus March 5.
Howe's Premium Elliptic Spring Bed-Bottom, for neatness, simplicity, elasticity, durability and economy is infinitely superior to any spring bed of which we have ever had the slightest knowledge. Its cost is but $6.
Principal dépôt, No. 378 Broadway, New-York.

[Advertisement.]

"THE PRIDE OF YOUTH!"—Let all good parents who desire to improve the appearance of their boys take them to KNOX, the down town hatter, and purchase for them a "Pride of Youth," which is one of the neatest hats of the season. KNOX has, besides, a very large assortment of hats and caps for all ages, admirably adapted for the present season. His store is at No. 212 Broadway, corner of Fulton-st.

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The grand Summer exposition of French Bonnets, Ribbons, Flowers, Crapes, Silks, Straw Goods, Dress Caps, Coiffures, Laces, &c., at
WILDE & Co.'s, No. 251 BROADWAY,
presents a perfect epitome of all the modes announced for the present Summer in the Paris gazettes of fashion.

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Photographs,
Ambrotypes and Daguerreotypes,
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No. 352 Pennsylvania avenue, Washington

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INDIA-RUBBER SPRING BED,
Removed to No. 312 Broadway, second block above Stewart's. Call and see them. You can also see Colton's Patent Folding Iron Bedstead, which takes up your bedding without trouble. Dealers and all others are invited to look at them.

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WHILE THE BAYONETS OF FRANCE are crossing the Alps, the Summer Fashions of Paris, in Bonnets, Coiffures, Ribbons, Flowers, &c, have already crossed the Atlantic, and will be found in magnificent variety and at very moderate prices, at
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HOLLOWAY's Pills and Ointment are the mother's true friends. Measles, so very fatal to children if improperly managed, can be controlled by these excellent internal and external remedies. Sold by every respectable druggist in the world.

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WARNER, PECK & Co.

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HERRING's Patent Champion Fire-Proof Safes, No 251 Broadway, corner of Murray-street, opposite City Hall, New-York.

MONETARY AFFAIRS.

For Markets see Third Page.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—MAY 25.

$2,000 Ohio St. 6s. '80	102¼	50 Erie Railroad	7⅝
3,000 Tenn. 6s '90	90¼	30 do	7⅝
11,000 Virginia 6s	97¼	20 Reading Railroad	44
10 000 do s60	95	250 Mich. S. & N. I. R.	9¾
500 do	97	50 do	9⅝
500 do	96⅛	100 Panama R. b60	118⅛
35,600 Missouri St. 6s	84	5 do	118⅛
5,000 do s30	83⅛	300 M. S. N. I. G. S. s30	32
23 000 do	83⅞	200 do	32
10,000 do s30	83¾	300 do s60	31¾
1,000 Erie R. 4th M. Bs.	42⅛	50 do s10	32
4,000 H. Riv. R. 1st M.	105	50 Illinois Cen. R. s10	53¼
4 000 H. Riv. R. 2d M.	96⅝	200 do	53⅛
2,000 Mich. S 2d M. Bs.	56	50 Cl., Col. & Cin R.	96
5,000 Han. & St J R. Bs.	65	50 G. & C. R. s3 aft opg	63⅛
1,000 Har. R. 3d mg. bds	75	150 do s30	63⅛
10 Bank of Com	99¾	100 do b30	63⅞
5 Am. Ex. Bank	103¾	50 do opg	63¾
45 do	103⅛	100 do opg	63⅞
5 Bk. State of N. Y.	100	300 Cleve. & Toledo R.	27⅞
10 Continental Bank	104	600 do s30	27
42 Park Bank	108⅛	300 do nw	27
100 Canton Company	18¾	100 do b60	27⅛
100 do b30	19	100 do c	27¼
50 do	19	200 Chic. & R. I. R. s30	60
19 Del. & H. Canal Co.	94¼	400 do	61¼
10 Penn. Coal Co	81⅛	200 do	61
150 do	81¾	200 do s10	60¾
300 N. Y. Central R.	72	150 do s10	60⅛
50 do bnw	71¾	350 do	6 ⅛
200 do s15	71¾	200 do bnwk	60¾
97 do	71⅞	100 do s10	60⅜
5 do	71¾	150 do s10	60¼
300 do	72⅛	100 do s60	59⅜
150 do s30	71⅛	65 Mil. & Miss. R. R.	5
250 do 7d	72⅛	25 Pac. Mail S. Co	73
200 do	72¼	35 do	73¾

SECOND BOARD.

$6,000 U. S. 5s, 1874	104	25 Mich Central R. s10	42
5,000 Missouri State 6s	83¾	100 do s60	41⅛
5 000 do s30	83⅛	100 Clev. & Tol. R. b30	27¾
3,000 do	83⅞	350 do	27¾
2,000 Virginia 6s	97	100 Panama R. s60	117⅛
1,000 do	97¼	100 do b30	118¾
22 American Ex. Bk	103⅛	100 do b60	119
200 Cumb'd Coal Pre'd.	17⅛	200 Gal. & Chicago R.	63⅞
100 do s60	17	100 Chic. & R. Is. R. s10	60¼
50 N. Y. Cen. R. bnw	72¼	600 do s10	60⅛
130 Pacific Mail St. Co.	74⅛	300 do	61
70 do	74¾	200 do bnwk	60¾
15 Erie Railroad	7⅝	100 do b60 aft 5	60¾
200 Harlem R. P'd. s60	36¾	150 do b60	61
200 do b30	37⅞	10 Mil. & Miss. R.	5
50 Reading Railroad	43		

REPORTED SALES AT AUCTION.

$3,000 Missouri 6s	84	30 Manhattan Bank	138[illegible]
2,000 N. Y. & H. R. 7s.	80	15 Bk of State N. Y.	100¾
4,000 N. Y. & Erie R. 7s.	43	20 National Bank	103
1,000 Memphis City 6s.	84⅛	10 Bk of N. America	112⅛
15 Great West. Ins. Co	132⅛	30 Irving Bank	100⅛
25 Clinton Fire Ins. Co.	112⅛	25 Col. Mar. Ins Co	114⅛
10 American Ex. Co	85	5 Mer. Mut. Ins. Co	111⅛

WEDNESDAY, May 25—P. M.

The market for Money, under the heavy export of Specie, works with a steadiness which argues a very prompt and considerable assistance from the country. But even this would scarcely suffice to keep the rates within 6@7 ⅌ cent. for prime discounts, and 5@6 ⅌ cent for demand and short-notice loans, but for the circumstance that the Bills Receivable of the Importers and Domestic Commission houses, both long and short, had been in a large measure anticipated at Bank and through the Discount Brokers, before the market fairly turned 5@6 ⅌ cent. The Banks at present prudently discriminate in favor of bills within 60@90 days, giving preference to the very shortest, and the consequence is that they run off a million a week of maturing paper, in excess of new discounts, without particular effort, and certainly without curtailment upon their regular dealers. That this process or change of policy throws no pressure or serious advance of rates on the outside borrower, even while heavy remittances are being made to Europe, we attribute mainly to the fact just stated, that a very large supply of 6@8 months' paper, made earlier in the season, was cashed on the instant, on terms even below the present figure for 60 days.

The *Persia*, for England to-day, took out $3,007,589 in Specie, and the preliminary engagements for the *Arago*, for Havre, and *Vigo*, for Liverpool on Saturday, indicate $2,000,000, making a direct export list for the week of five millions dollars, the largest weekly total by $1,550,000 ever shipped from this port, though, by comparison, not out of proportion to the present run of the Bank reserve in this City. With the aid of the California remittance, now nearly due, and the daily receipts from the near cities and the South and West, the effect upon the Bank average next Monday will probably be to reduce it to about $1,500,000, leaving the line nearly as strong as at the close of March, when the active Export movement set in. The Sub-Treasury balance is not likely to fall much below $5,000,000 at present, as the Customs are about equal to the ordinary disbursements of the Treasury Department, and the Secretary has determined to reissue or renew in sums as required by the present holders of Treasury Bills or as, may be applied for by the public, New Treasury Bills at 12 months' sale, bearing 5 ⅌ cent. ⅌ annum. He has now an available reserve of $1,500,000 from the loan of Jan. 24 not yet called in, and $4,500,000 already redeemed and subject to reissue, of the original twenty millions Treasury Bills. Parties holding any portion of the remaining $15,000,000 overdue, or to fall due, are therefore at liberty to send the bills in for renewal at 5 ⅌ cent., or redemption in Gold, at their own election. The Customs to-day are $168,000, and the disbursements $40,000 short of the receipts; leaving the balance this afternoon $5,265,121. The Specie in Bank in the four principal markets, on the last returns, is as follows:

At New-York	$26 090,008
New-Orleans	15,534,149
Boston	6 701,000
Philadelphia	5,932,147
Total	$54 257 304
Previous week	53 848 991
Increase	$408,313

We understand that arrangements have been made by the Express Companies to bring gold from New-Orleans overland, at their own risk, at a cost of ⅝ ⅌ cent. The Exchange on New-York, at sight, by telegraph yesterday, is quoted ¾ ⅌ cent. premium.

The Stock Market is again steady on the general list to-day, and firmer on the dividend securities. The speculators for the decline have manifested less boldness to operate on the Specie export than might have been anticipated. One reason for this is the large line of Shorts already out on many of the active stocks; another is, the continued scarcity of Share Certificates and State and Railway Bonds on the Street, for delivery or under hypothecation at Bank, to be affected by the apprehended screw upon the Money Market; and a third would probably be found in the doubt felt as to further disquieting money news in England. A decided reaction in London was not improbable at the last dates by the *Vanderbilt* and *City of Baltimore*, and this feeling will be strengthened by the $12,000,000 gold from New-York now at sea and soon to arrive. The sales of Missouris to-day were at 84@83⅞ cash, and 83½@⅞ seller's option. Virginias rose to 97¼ ⅌ cent.; Panama to 119; Pacific Mail to 75 ex dividend, and New-York Central to 72⅜@72½ ⅌ cent. The last named opened before the early session of the Board at 71¾@71⅞, but as contracts were not pressed and the cash stock offered with no freedom, the price gained ⅝@¾ ⅌ cent. before the close of the day. In the Western Stocks, Galena increased to 63⅞ and Toledo to 27¾@⅞. The deliveries of Chicago and Rock Island have been made easier on the Street, including a considerable amount of fresh contracts at the option of the seller, and reducing the cash price to 61@61⅛ ⅌ cent. Prices left off generally firm; the tone of the market, however, being steady rather buoyant.

The affairs of Messrs. HARGOUS & Co., whose suspension was announced yesterday, are placed under a general assignment. The senior member, who has long been a Director of the Mechanics Bank, resigned his seat to-day. Some very wide estimates of the probable liabilities of the concern have been made, ranging from one to three millions, based, however, solely on the long standing and high credit here and at New-Orleans and in Mexico, of the firm, and the facility with which their paper found currency. The amount of their outstanding acceptances held for New-York account, is probably less than the sums for collection for the New-Orleans banks and bankers. An assignment by Messrs. L. H. MYER & STUCKEN has followed the recent verdict for $200,000 obtained by GRAHAM in the Federal Court.

The *Evening Express* will understand that we have nothing to do with its quarrels with the *Albany Evening Journal*. The point we make is that it had no sufficient authority—we might, perhaps, say, scarcely a plausible pretext—on Saturday afternoon, for publishing, as exact, a figure for the April traffic of the Central Road derived from mere Street rumor, without correcting the mistake early on Monday, when no such return appeared in any of the Albany papers, where, for public convenience, they are usually published, from the 20th to the 25th of the succeeding month.

COTTON CROP MOVEMENT—SINCE SEPT. 1, 1858.

	1859.	1858.	1857.	1856.	1855.
Rec. at Ports	3,554,000	2,862,000	2 823,000	3,330,000	2,434,000
Ex. to G. B.	1,700,000	1,395,000	1,245,000	1,694,000	1,233,000
Ex. to France	381,000	343,000	368,000	443,000	377,000
Ex. to other F. P.	492,000	293,000	360,000	450,000	220,000
Total Exports	2,573,000	2,031,000	1,963,000	2,487,000	1,830,000
St'k on hand	431,000	550,000	324,000	410,000	265,000

Of which, during the past week, included in the above:

Rec. at Ports	25,000	32,000	21,000	41,000	28,000
Ex. to G. B.	34,000	27,000	21,000	24,000	48,000
Ex. to France	4 000	6,000	4,000	—	18,000
Ex. to other F. P.	7,000	2,000	6,000	7,000	6,000
Total Exports	45,000	35,000	31,000	31,000	72,000

The weekly receipts, say Messrs. WRIGHT, "are now becoming very small, and will go on diminishing to the end of the season. The receipts from this time to the end of the season last year, were 252,000 bales; say we receive three-quarters of this amount, the present crop would reach 3,743,000 bales. This in all probability will be about the final quantity,"

Real Estate....TUESDAY, May 24.

By order of referee in the suit of BENJAMIN B. PROVOOST *vs.* WILLIAM CAIRNS and others, Mr. P. R. WILKINS sold the following property:

One lot south side of Thirty-fifth street, 100 feet east of Tenth-avenue. J. MUNSON, $1 110.

One lot 25 feet east of above. J. H. POWER, $1,000.

One next adjoining on the east side. J. P. MARSHALL, $1,100.

One lot east side Eleventh avenue, the second from the north corner of Thirty-fourth-street. THOS. MILLER, $1,800.

One lot adjoining same, $1,825.

One lot on the northeast corner of Eleventh-avenue and Thirty-sixth-street. A. R. HERRING, $2,300.

One adjoining. THEODORE MARTINE, $1,550.

One adjoining. E. W. BISHOP, $1,450.

One lot south side Thirty-eighth-street, 223 feet west of Eighth-avenue, 39 feet 6 inches front, with a wider rear. CASPAR HENIDEL, $3,625.

One lot north side Thirty-ninth-street, 200 feet east of Ninth avenue, $1,600. Next, $1,475; next, $1,450; next, $1,375. All, B. C. WANDELL.

One lot south side Thirty-eighth-street, 100 feet west of Ninth-avenue. JOHN MCRANE, $1 375.

One lot west side Ninth-avenue, 50 feet south of Thirty-eighth-street. Same, $2,850.

One lot east side Eleventh avenue, 75 feet north of Thirty-ninth-street. THEODORE MARTINE, $1,175.

One adjoining. J. H. POWER, $1 200.

One lot east side Eleventh avenue, 25 feet south of Fortieth-street. PAT. DOUGHERTY, $1,450.

The balance of the sale (of 117 lots) was adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, May 25.

By order of Referee, Mr. LUDLOW sold one lot on the northwest corner of Eighty-fourth-street and Tenth-avenue, for $925, and three adjoining lots on the avenue for $575 each. All, BERNHARD MAYHER.

Mr. JOHN MCCLAVE has sold eight full lots on the south side of One Hundred and Twelfth-street beginning at a point 320 feet westerly from the Third-avenue, at $550 per lot. Seller, PETER MORRIS, Esq. These lots are directly in the rear of the six lots on One Hundred and Eleventh-street, sold by Mr. MCCLAVE on Monday. Making in all fourteen lots that he has sold on that block during the past week to different buyers.

By order of Supreme Court, in Partition:

Sale by P. R. WILKINS, May 24. Lease of three lots on the southeast corner of Baxter and Canal streets, being 75 feet on Canal street, 99 feet on Baxter street, and having 21 years to run, from May, 1846, at an annual ground-rent of $900, with covenant in lease to purchase at any time during said term for $15,000. Premises now rent for $2,500 per annum. THOMAS MARTIN, $9,100.

Messrs. RAYNOR & BLACKWELL have sold one lot, north side of Twenty first street, about midway between Fifth and Sixth avenues, 26x98¾ feet, for $8,000, with a building-loan of $6,000. A four-story brown-stone house is to be put upon it.

Boston Weekly Bank Statement.

BOSTON, Wednesday, May 25.

The following are the footings from the Bank Statement for the past week:

Capital Stock	$34,521,700
Loans and Discounts	57,996,500
Specie	6,701,000
Amount due from other Banks	7,565,800
Amount due to other Banks	7,542 500
Deposits	20,846,000
Circulation	7,013,000

Markets by Telegraph.

CHARLESTON, Tuesday, May 24.

COTTON—Sales to-day 500 bales at prices ranging from 8¾c.@10¾c.

MOBILE, Tuesday, May 24.

COTTON—Sales to-day 500 bales, the market closing firm and unchanged. Several parcels were withdrawn for a rise.

NEW-ORLEANS, Wednesday, May 25.

COTTON—Sales to-day 1,500 bales at unchanged prices. SUGAR declined ⅛c. CORN firm at 91¼c.@$1 05.

CINCINNATI, Wednesday, May 25.

FLOUR dull at $6 50 for superfine. PROVISIONS dull—Bulk Shoulders, sales 100,000 lbs., at 6¼c. LARD in kegs, at 12¾c.

ALBANY, Wednesday, May 25—6 P. M.

FLOUR and GRAIN entirely flat. The only sales on the market up to noon, except retail lots, is 7,000 bush. OATS at 58c.

BUFFALO, Wednesday, May 25—6 P. M.

FLOUR dull and lower; sales 700 bbls. at $6@$6 50 for State from Chicago Spring and Milwaukee Club Wheat; $7@$7 50 for extra Michigan, Indiana and Ohio; $7 75@$8 for double extras. WHEAT lower and no sales. CORN dull and lower; sales 4,000 bush. hot Illinois River at 75c. Other grains quiet. WHISKY lower and dull; sales 100 bbls at 27c. *Lake Imports*—4,000 bbls. Flour, 15,000 bush. Wheat, 23 000 bush. Corn. *Canal Exports*—1,500 bbls. Flour, 5,000 bush. Wheat, 6,000 bush. Corn, 16,000 bush. Oats.

OSWEGO, Wednesday, May 25—6 P. M.

The absence of foreign news and the decline in New-York have a tendency to check buyers, and the market is quiet for all descriptions of FLOUR and GRAIN, and prices tend downward. Milwaukee Club WHEAT is held at $1 35, with some inquiry at $1 30. CANAL FREIGHTS dull and unchanged. No receipts by lake to-day. *Canal Exports*—4 800 bushels Oats. *Shipped at Montreal*—2 100 bbls. Flour.

PHILADELPHIA, Wednesday, May 25.

FLOUR dull and 25c. lower; Superfine, $7; extra, $7 25@$7 50. WHEAT dull and declining; White, $1 85@$1 95; Red, $1 75@$1 80. CORN—Sales 7,000 bush.; Yellow, 92c.@93c. COFFEE unsettled; sales 2,000 bags Rio, at 10¼c.@12¼c. SUGAR—Cuba and New-Orleans, 6¼c.@7½c. PROVISIONS firm but dull. WHISKY declined 2c.; sales at 29c.@30c.

BALTIMORE, Wednesday, May 25.

FLOUR dull, at $7 25 for both Howard-street and Ohio. WHEAT declining; White, $1 70@$1 90; Red, $1 55@$1 68. CORN dull, an agreement made by buyers not to purchase excepting by weight, checking operations; small sales were made, at 86c.@88c. for White, and 89c.@91c. for Yellow, by weight. PROVISIONS quiet. BACON SIDES, 10c.; MESS PORK, $18; WHISKY dull; Ohio, 29c.

MOBILE, Tuesday, May 24.

Cotton inactive; sales to-day 700 bales; sales of the last three days foot up 4 000 bales; receipts the same time, 2,250 bales; Middling, 11¼c.

Movements of Ocean Steamers.

Name.	Date.	Leaves	For
FOR EUROPE.			
Vigo	May 28	New York	[illegible]
Arago	May 28	New-York	[illegible]
Nova Scotian	May 28	Quebec	Liverpool
Weser	May 28	New-York	[illegible]
Edinburgh	June 1	New-York	Glasgow
Borussia	June 1	New-York	Southa'n
Canada	June 1	Boston	Liverpool
City of Baltimore	June 4	New-York	Cork
Vanderbilt	June 4	New York	Southa'n
North American	June 4	Quebec	Liverpool
Asia	June 8	New-York	Liverpool
FROM EUROPE.			
Asia	May 14	Liverpool	New-York
New-York	May 17	Southampt'n	New-York
Hungarian	May 18	Liverpool	Quebec
Hammonia	May 18	Southampt'n	New-York
John Bell	May 21	Glasgow	Quebec
America	May 21	Liverpool	Boston
City of Wash'gton	May 25	Liverpool	New-York
Indian	May 25	Liverpool	Quebec
Ariel	May 25	Southampt'n	New York
Africa	May 28	Liverpool	New-York
Prince Albert	May 28	Galway	New-York
FOR THE PACIFIC COAST.			
Coatzacoalcos	May 27	New-Orleans	Minatitlan
FOR MEXICO.			
Tennessee	June 1	New-Orleans	Vera Cruz
FOR HAVANA.			
Quaker City	May 30	New-York	Havana
Isabel	June 4	Charleston	Havana

Passengers Sailed.

In steamship Persia, for Liverpool—Mr and Mrs. Cropper and maid servant, New-York; Mr. and Mrs. John R. Shaw, daughter and friend, Mr. and Mrs Brier, New-Orleans; Mrs. E. H. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Balch, 2 children and servant, Mr and Mrs. John J. Davis, New-York; Mr. and Mrs. H de la Grange, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Byrne 4 children and 3 servants, Miss Byrne and Miss Lintor, New-Orleans; Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Nicol, Canada; John S. Mills, New-Orleans; J. M. Dagnall Brooklyn; Wm L. Williamson, Memphis; John H. Vesey, England; H. Wyckoff, W. Gale, New-York; Col Richard France, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. E Langdon, Jas. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Robt L. Banks, New-York; Mrs. Adams' servant, Nassau; Mrs. Langdon's servant, Mr. and Mrs. J C. Cropper and infant, New-York; Mr. and Mrs Shade, Galt, C. W.; J. W. Cochrane, B. Bernard, New-York; Richard Nugent, John Hankins, Miss Fraser, J. G. Strouse, New-Orleans; Saml. Greene, Toronto; Miss Brown, England; Miss McMurrick, Toronto; B. Badetty, New-York; S. H. Hartman, Pittsburg; Miss Emma Correne, Baltimore; H. P. Sellar; Mr. and Mrs. A. D Kelly, 2 children and nurse, New-Orleans; Mr. and Mrs. Chas A. Easton, New-York; Mrs. Chas. Easton, do; Miss Easton, do; Mrs. S. Gandy, 3 children and 2 servants, do.; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wright, do.; Mr. and F. Speir do; Miss Moore, do.; Miss Barker do.; the Rev. and Mrs. H. Barber, do.; Mr. and Mrs J. Deyncodt, New-Orleans, C. W. Field, New-York; G. H. Hart, Philadelphia; Mr. Jacobo, Mobile; Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Shoenberger, 3 daughters, son and servant, Cincinnati; W. Parker, New-Orleans; T. Ellis, Louisiana; Mr. Belf, New-Orleans; Dr. N. S. Chipley, Kentucky; Geo. W. Sutton, dr. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Berry, Washington; E. N. Lawrence, New York; T. J. Harrison, Kentucky; D. D. Chipman, Rochester; L. Hamilton, do.; J. Stitt, New-York; Mr. and Mrs. L. Briggs, 2 children and servant, do; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Albert, 2 daughters and son, Miss Walker, New-York; Mrs. and 2 Masters Phillips, do.; R. W. Hamilton, Canada, West; F. W. Jones, New-York; Jas. Godberry, New-Orleans; Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, do.; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sexter, child and servant, Cincinnati; G. W. Thorpe, New-York; H. L. Kent, Richmond; P. Maxwell, New-Orleans; G. W. Cowes, do; B. W. Williamson, Memphis; J. Wright, Philadelphia; B. Fasbire, New-Orleans; John McClure, New York; J. H. Shawcross, New-Orleans; Saml. R. Scott, C. C. H. Schlottner, New-York; M. Henderson, New-Orleans; J. B. Bailey, New-York; J. Murphy, do; A. Schich, do.; Sol. Smith and son, St. Louis; J. N. Miller, Philadelphia; Wm. Hopper, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Norman, Newport; Mrs. J. Taylor, Jersey City; Miss M. B. Allen, Rochester; H. N. Schwaitz and friend, New-Orleans; E. Sturgis, New York; R. Woesti, New-Orleans; E. Marande and friend, Connecticut; F. Smith, New-York; C. Aylton, Havana; Mr. and Mrs. H. Coggill, son and 2 daughters, New-York; F. Griffiog, Brooklyn; Mr. Allyous and servant, do.; Mr. Charles, Albany; J. Tully, New-Orleans; Dr. E. D. Turner, do.; Mr. and Mrs N. D. Taylor, Jersey City; J. G. Silkevistadt, New Orleans; Chas. Holland, do; J. Lyon, Charleston; A. Troost, Germany; H. Dreyferes, N. C.; the Rev. Dr. Leach, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Butts and 5 children, Rochester; Mr. and Mrs. E. Hodges, John Deye, New-York; John F. Betrake, J. Craner, New-Orleans; Mr. and Mrs. R. Winans and niece, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Jackson, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Sage, Charleston; H. Schlessinger, Mr. Guiet, New-York; Mrs. G. C. Anderson and 5 children, Miss Field, Nassau; T. Rosseau, Cuba; S. P. Biddle, Montreal; J. Battersby, New-Orleans; J. Van Gasbeck, Albany; Count and Madame Sartiges, 2 children and nurse, France; W. H. Smith, New-York; A. Baxter, do.; G. P. Brown and 2 sons, England; A. Michel, New-York; A. Favre Brandt, do; the Hon. P. Bennett, friend and servant, Buffalo; R. Crook, England; Lieut. J. Pegram, Richmond; Mr. de la Grange and servant, New Orleans; Sergt. John Brown, R. A., England—Total, 235.

In steamship Roanoke, for Norfolk, Portsmouth, &c.—W. A. Delaan, C. Allen, P. O'Donoghue, E. Peek, Samuel Raynor and lady, Mrs. F. R. Shaw, Miss Walker, Commodore Bell, lady and grandchild, Mrs. A. Van Valkenburg, Mr. Bell, Henry T. Cocke, Mrs. S. B. Bold, W. Porter, L. Hoffman, E. Titus and lady, Miss Titus, C. F. Dunderdale, A. Mitchell, J. H. Wiggins, James A. Parsons, J. E. M. Masurier, J. Benbres, G. Rich, M. Smith, and 11 in the steerage.

MINIATURE ALMANAC—THIS DAY.
Sun rises.... 4 34 | Sun sets.... 7 20 | Moon rises.... 1 18
HIGH WATER—THIS DAY.
Sandy Hook. 2 36 | Gov. Island. 3 25 | Hell Gate.... 4 47

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

NEW-YORK....WEDNESDAY, May 25.

Cleared.

Steamships Adelaide, Nicholson, Galway, American Express Co.; Star of the South, Lyon, Savannah, S. L. Mitchill & Son; Roanoke, Couch, Norfolk, Ludlam & Heineken.

Steamers Thos. Swann, Ramsay, Portland, H. B. Cromwell & Co.; Boston, Sellew, Philadelphia, F. Perkins.

Ships Sea Belle, Leland, Richibucto, H. D. Brookman & Co.; Portland, Leavitt, Richibucto, C. C. Duncan & Co.

Barks Essex, Ray, Marsalee, Yates, Porterfield & Co.; Ringdove, (Br.,) Nutman, St. John, N. B., Irvin & Co.; Wings of the Morning, Wilson, St. John, N. B., Collins & Marsh; H. Cann, (Br.,) Cann, St. John, Thos. James; Oregon, Wilson, Sombrero, J. R. Dow.

Brigs Hamden, Wiswall, Bangor, Brett, Son & Co.; A. Watson, Booper, Nuevitas, Thos. Owen & Son; Clyde, (Br.,) Barker, Monckton, D. R. De Wolf; La Favorita, (Dutch,) Prince, Curacoa, J. Foulke & Sons; Loch Lomond, Black, Sagua la Grande, R. P. Buck & Co.; Vivid, (Br.,) Mann, Halifax, Whitman Bros. & Co.; Wanderer, (Brem.,) Lehmann, Darien, Ga., Funch & Meincke; Lark (Br.,) Penniston, Bermuda, Middleton & Co.

Schooners M. Smith, Goodsell, Eleuthera, R. Godwin; Virginia, Steele, Matanzas, Smith, Jones & Co.; D. F. Keeling, Simkins, New-Orleans, N. H. Brigham; A. S. Hardy, Tryon, Norfolk, ———; M. Skinner, Chaplin, Jacksonville, master; J. W., Faulklin, Boston, Dayton & Sprague; Surprise, Cole, Halifax, H. G. Donovan; W. E. Leggett, Gibson, Baracoa, ———; Montezuma, Penny, Washington, Van Brunt & Slaght; Edwin, Gordon, Newbern, J. Smith & Co.

Sloop Harvest, Corwin, Providence, master.

Arrived.

Steamer Thomas Swann, Ramsey, Savannah, with mdse. and passengers to H. B. Cromwell & Co.

Steamer Boston, Sellew, Philadelphia and Cape May, with mdse. and passengers to F. Perkins.

Steamer Pelican, Aldrich, Providence, with mdse. to Isaac Odell.

Brig Blessing, (Br.,) Phillips, Sunderland 49 ds., with coal to order. April 27, in a gale from W. N. W., carried away the foretopmast, maintopgallantmast, cross-trees and fore yard. April 29, lat. 44 41, lon. 43 47, saw ship Aquila, of Bath, stg. E.

Schr. Anna B. Jacobs, Holstein, Virginia 3 ds., with grain to A. C. Havens.

Schr. Synepuxent, Burrell, Virginia 3 ds., with grain to A. C. Havens.

Schr. Teresa, Gandy, Bayport, E. F., 15 ds., with lumber to Joseph Ashby.

Schr. S. T. Garrison, Grice, Newbern, N. C., 10 ds., with naval stores to D. C. Murray.

Schr. B. Blackman, Sherman, Georgetown, S. C., 25 ds., with naval stores to B. Blossom & Son.

Schr. Hannah Martin, Slate, Mayport, Fla., with cedar to J. Ashbar.

Schr. Davidson, Ryder, Virginia, with shingles to Benton Bros.

Schr. R. Bentley, Barratt, Virginia, with wood.

Schr. E. A. Conklin, Souper, Virginia, with wood.

Schr. Rebecca Cone, Dennison, Virginia, with wood.

Schr. Wm. Clark, Robinson, Baltimore, in ballast.

Schr. Wm D. Pitts, Bremer, Virginia, with corn.

Schr. Laura, Weeks, Virginia, coal.

Schr. Black Hawk, Atkins, New-Haven, in ballast.

Schr. R. B. Pitts, Hickey, Newark, for Pembroke.

Schr. Ganet, Robinson, Port Ewen, for Machias.

Schr. Franklin, Hunt, Port Ewen, for Saco.

WIND—Sunrise, calm, and very thick fog; meridian, S. W., and clear; sunset, S.

Sailed.

Steamships Persia, for Liverpool—left her moorings off the Battery at 1:15 P. M.; Star of the South, for Savannah; Roanoke, for Norfolk. Bark Kathleen, for Bordeaux. Brig Molunkus, for Cardenas.

By Telegraph.

HIGHLANDS, May 25, sunset—One square-rigged vessel in the offing, bound in. Wind light from S., weather clear.

SANDY HOOK, May 25, sunset—No inward-bound vessels in sight. Ship Wild Rover, for San Francisco, passed the bar at 6 A. M.; steamship Persia, for Liverpool, at 2:12 P. M., and Star of the South, for Savannah, at 6 P. M. Ships Sir Robert Peel, and Maid of Orleans, one ship unknown, and bark Restless, are at anchor near the S. W. Spit, bound out. Wind S., moderate; weather clear.

SQUAN, May 25, sunset—Wind fresh from S.; weather clear. One square rigged vessel in the offing, bd. in.

Miscellaneous.

The new steamship Guatemala returned to-day from her trial trip.

SAVANNAH, May 25.—The ship Connecticut, from Mobile 11th inst., for Savannah, is ashore 20 miles N. of Tybee, with six feet of water in her hold, and it is doubtful if she will come off. A steamer has been sent to her assistance, but the weather is very unfavorable. The C. was built at Essex, Conn., in 1849, is 1,081 tons, rates A 2½, and is owned by Thos. Richardson & Co., of New-York. (By telegraph to Ellwood Walter, Esq., Secretary Board of Underwriters.)